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GUILTY!

JURY IS AGREED.

Walsh Verdict Now Is Ready.

Official Announcement to Be Made at Ten O'Clock This Morning.

Jurors at an Early Hour Send for Materials to Write Verdict.

"Inter Ocean" Issues an Extra Declaring Banker Is Found Guilty.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 18.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The jury in the case of John R. Walsh reached a verdict at 1:20 o'clock this morning. It was variously rumored at this hour that the verdict was one of acquittal and of guilty as charged.

The Inter-Ocean at 4:20 o'clock this morning makes the positive statement that the Walsh jurors have returned a verdict of guilty.

The jurors, after having been out for thirty-one and one-half hours, notified Bailiffs Northrup and Marsales that they had reached an agreement, and a bailiff was hastily dispatched for pen and paper in order that the verdict might be drawn up and sealed.

The jurors, in accordance with Judge Anderson's instructions, made ready to seal their verdict, to be opened in court in the morning.

Detectives went scurrying through the building for the purpose of notifying attorneys in the case.

HISTORY OF THE CASE.

Dec. 9, 1905—Final examination of the Chicago National Bank by National Bank Examiner Charles H. Bosworth, and of the Equitable Trust Company and some savings banks by State Bank Examiner C. C. Jones. Comptroller Ridgely notified.

December 15, 1905—Conference between Bosworth and James B. Forgan, chairman of the Chicago Clearing-House Association, followed by a meeting of clearinghouse bankers and John R. Walsh.

December 17, 1905—Ridgely arrives in Chicago. Clearinghouse conferences continue all day (Sunday) and until after 2 o'clock the following morning.

December 18, 1906—Clearinghouse takes over Walsh banks and opens their doors only to pay depositors.

January 27, 1906—Investigation of Chicago National Bank resumed and warrant for Walsh's arrest follows.

May 3, 1906—Walsh arrested, arraigned before United States Commissioner Mark A. Foote, waives hearing, bound over to grand jury and released on $50,000 bail.

January 18, 1907—Grand jury returns two indictments against Walsh.

February 15, 1907—Walsh demurs to indictments.

February 18, 1907—Demurrer taken under advisement by Judge Anderson.

March 15, 1907—Demurrer sustained as to twenty-two counts out of 183 in the first indictment.

April 3, 1907—Walsh pleads not guilty and trial set for October 15.

October 9, 1907—Application made for postponement of trial.

October 10, 1907—Trial postponed to November 12.

November 12, 1907—Trial begins.

December 2, 1907—Juror E. J. Watkins is taken ill with grip; trial postponed.

December 10, 1907—Trial resumed.

December 27, 1907—Juror Charles Davey taken ill with grip; trial again interrupted.

January 2, 1908—Trial resumed.

January 10, 1908—Evidence completed.

January 12, 1908—Arguments begun.

January 16, 1908—Arguments end and case goes to jury.

JUMPS TO HER DEATH.

Wife of Retired Broker of Boston Leaps from Thirteenth-Story Window of New York Hotel.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Mrs. Herbert M. Sears, wife of a retired broker of Boston, and a member of one of the best-known families of that city, committed suicide today by jumping from her rooms on the thirteenth floor of the Hotel St. Regis, while temporarily insane.

Her body fell upon the roof of a four-story building adjoining the hotel, and was terribly crushed.

Mrs. Sears was 37 years of age, and prior to the beginning of the mental trouble, which resulted in her suicide, she occupied a position of social prominence in Boston. For nine years she had been suffering from a nervous disease, and at intervals during that time she came to New York for treatment by Dr. Joseph Collins.

MALFEASANCE IS CHARGED.

Chief of New Orleans Police Force Must Answer for Shooting at Newspaper Editor.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 17.—Charges of malfeasance in office were tonight brought against Police Inspector Whitaker, chief of the city police force, for shooting last night at J. M. Leveque, a newspaper editor.

Whitaker was ordered to appear January 24 before the Board of Police Commissioners to answer these charges. The board did not make charges against the five detectives who acted as the inspector's escort during the shooting affray.

The chairman of the board has declared that these men should be exonerated, as they were obeying their chief's orders to see that no one interfered in his personal quarrel.

CONGRESSMEN HOPEFUL.

Believe Use of Sulphur Will not Be Prohibited in Fruit-Drying Process.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Representatives Smith, Hayes and Needham today conferred with the government pure food board regarding the proposed restriction of the use of sulphur in the fruit-drying process.

While no definite promises were made by the board, the three Congressmen feel certain now that the use of sulphur will not be prohibited in this California industry.

WANT TO VOTE.

RAID HOME OF THE PREMIER.

SUFFRAGETTES CREATE RIOT IN LONDON.

Fight a Terrific Battle With the "Bobbies" in Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman's House Before They Are Subdued—Movement Spreading Over All England.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

LONDON, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Suffragettes raided Premier Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman's house during a Cabinet meeting today, and a terrific battle was fought in the hallway. Pandemonium reigned throughout the establishment for an hour.

The streets were packed for blocks in each direction, many arrests were made, and a number of people were roughly handled by the "bobbies" before order was restored.

The house was stormed in force, the door was pushed in, despite the efforts of the servants on the premises, and the leader of the band crowded inside and engaged in a hand-to-hand struggle with the lackeys in an effort to compel her followers' admission.

A troop of the women invaded Downing street before the meeting of the Cabinet. Two "forlorn hopers," as the women have become known, permitted themselves to be chained and padlocked to the iron railings on Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman's doorstep.

There, surrounded by their companions, they posed as a living cartoon until the police finally drove the suffragettes back. When the doorway was cleared, it was found impossible to liberate the two women who were chained to the railings. The keys were not in the possession of the vanquished suffragettes.

Files were sent for, and a policeman severed the chains. The women, along with two of their companions who were most demonstrative against the police, were placed under arrest.

The suffragist movement is spreading to powerful proportions all over England, and is no longer regarded with ridicule.

RARE LACE FOR RICH BRIDE.

Set of Irish Point Two Hundred Years Old Purchased by Miss Gladys Vanderbilt.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Ireland will contribute the daintiest article too the trousseau of Gladys Vanderbilt, America's richest heiress, who will shortly marry an Austrian Count. Miss Vanderbilt yesterday visited the Irish exposition and purchased from Miss E. D. Manes the rarest set of Irish point in America. The set includes two cuffs and a collar, and has a histor of unique interest.

The lace is what is known as the Empress Eugenie pattern, and was made 200 years ago by the nuns at Youghal, County of Cork, Ireland. It was made with 600 thread, the finest made. The texture is so fine some parts of it cannot be traced without a glass. Miss Vanderbilt paid more than $1000 for the treasure.

GROSSCUP ISN'T AFRAID.

Chicago Judge Declares Charges Are Old and Decision in Present Action Will Settle Case.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Apparently untroubled by fear of impeachment proceedings as a result of the charges made against him in the appeal to the Supreme Court filed by Attorney Charles H. Aldrich in connection with the Traction litigation, Judge Peter S. Grosscup today declared that the latest move in the Traction muddle would go far toward bringing about a final and decisive settlement.

Although unwilling to discuss the different charges contained in the appeal to the Washington court, Judge Grosscup said, during the day, that he was confident that no official recognition would be taken of the matter by the Supreme Court as far as he personally was concerned. That all the charges have been made before at different times and were unsubstantiated, was the declaration of the jurist, in which the attorneys for the street railway companies joined.

LETTERS IN FRAUD CASES.

Fossil Stockman Is Only Witness of Day in Oregon Trial of Hall and Steiwer.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

PORTLAND, Jan. 17.—Edward Puttman, a stockman of Fossil, was the only witness at this morning's session of the trial of Hall and Steiwer. He identified masses of letters which passed between him and Hall and others, to show Hall's familiarity with the operations of the Butte Creek Land Company. The prosecution will contend these letters should have been acted upon by Hall, and that he should have prosecuted the alleged land grabbers.

The defense will contend that the letters of Hall and Mays show they asked Puttnam to keep them informed and to take the matter up with the special agents of the Land Office.

SUFFRAGETTE LEADER ADDRESSING A CROWD.

Mrs. Cobden Sanderson,

the famous English suffragette, doing street work. She is one of the foremost exponents of the theory that women should have an equal voice with men in political and governmental affairs.

BUSINESS MYSTERY.

MILLIONS INVOLVED IN REAL ESTATE DEAL.

New York Property Owned by the Rothschilds and Held in Name of Their Agents, Belmont & Co., Is Transferred, but Cause Kept Secret.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] August Belmont and his partner, Walter Luttgen, in the banking house of August Belmont & Co., today transferred $7,000,000 of New York City real estate, including the Park Row building, a twenty-six-story skyscraper, to Nathan M. Rothschild and others.

The "others" are supposed to be the partners in the London firm of bankers of N. M. Rothschild & Co.

For more than half a century the Belmonts have represented the Rothschild family in the city, taking care of their vast American investments and acting as their agents in all other American financial operations. August Belmont, Sr., father of the present head of the banking-house, was sent to New York when a young man by the Rothschilds to represent their interests here. The Rothschilds controlled the Louisville and Nashville Railroad until 1901, when John W. Gates executed his famous coup against August Belmont, and wrested that valuable property from the bankers.

DID NOT RELISH IT.

At that time it was reported the Rothschilds were not pleased that their American representative should be caught in a trap set by the westerner.

Though the Rothschilds have scores of millions invested here in real estate and securities representing all sorts of enterprises they have never before taken title to any of them. Their American possessions have always stood in the name of Belmont & Co., or in the joint names of the partners of that firm.

Walter Luttgen, the partner of Mr. Belmont, was asked tonight for a statement concerning the transfer of the $7,000,000 of real estate. He replied:

"We have no statement to make."

"Does it mean," he was asked, "that the Rothschilds have severed their relations with August Belmont & Co.?"

BECOMES EMPHATIC.

"It does not," he replied emphatically. "There is no change in the relations between the Rothschilds and Belmont & Co."

"What was the reason for the transfer?" he was asked.

"We have no statement to make," reiterated Mr. Luttgen. "It is a matter of no public interest."

"A transaction involving $7,000,000 of real estate, the Rothschilds and the Belmonths interests ag reat many persons," s i the reporter.

"It was a plain business transaction and we do not care to make any statement," returned Mr. Luttgen.

August Belmont was just leaving his home, No. 44 East Thirty-fourth street, for the theater, when a reporter asked him for a statement concerning the transfers of the real estate. Drawing himself up to his full height, Mr. Belmont said icily:

"The worl never asks me any questions; never, sir. Good night."

Whereupon Mr. Belmont disappeared.

COMPLAINS TO CZAR.

Gen. Stoessel Protests Against Alleged Discriminations by Court-martial.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ST. PETERSBURG, Jan. 17.—Lieut.-Gen. Stoessel last evening sent a protest direct to Emperor Nicholas against the exclusion of witnesses for the defense and other alleged discriminations by the court-martial which is trying him on the charge of having surrendered to the Japanese before the resources of the fortresses were exhausted.

As a result of this action, Gen. Stroukoff, Emperor Nicholas's aide, today took a seat upon the bench in court for the purpose of furnishing a report direct to the Emperor. It was noticeable that the judges showed the defense greater consideration.

The witnesses heard today were Stoessel's, and their testimony was favorable to him. Gen. Gorbatofsky, commandant of the eastern section of the fortress, expressed the opinion that the fortress could not have been defended for more than three or four days longer.

CRITICISES AMERICAN WOMEN.

Parisian Hair-dresser Complains Because so Few Styles Are Adopted on This Side of Atlantic.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Monotony in style is the charge against the hair dressing of New York women brought by George Gourdeau, president of the Paris Association of Hair Dressers, who has spent four weeks studying coiffure building in the theaters, at the opera, in the restaurants and on the streets of New York.

Women of the American metropolis, says the Parisian, seem to confine themselves to a score, at most, of styles, whereas there are 300 separate and distinct fashions of dressing the hair, he claims.

Mr. Gourdeau is on a mission from Paris, where the hair dressers are trying to encourage more diversity in the style of hair dressing, hoping to secure the coöperation of American hair dressers in this movement.

BEATEN BY CONFEDERATE.

Driver, Nearly Killed by Mail Robbers, Confesses to Conspiracy and Involves Two in Crime.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MARYSVILLE, Jan. 17.—R. W. Harwood, who was beaten insensible while driving the United States mail wagon last Tuesday from the Southern Pacific depot to the postoffice, made a confession today to Postoffice Inspector Coyne and the city marshal. He said he was implicated in the robbery and that he and Joe Reilly had planned it on Thanksgiving Day.

He stated that he and Reilly had made preparations three different nights, but each attempt was frustrated by teams following the wagon. Tuesday night Reilly wanted to rob the registered mail bag, but he (Harwood) objected, stating that it only contained about $600. Reilly, who had taken a man named Godfrey, into his confidence, insisted they rob the registered mail sack Tuesday night, and after Harwood had cut the bag, Godfrey climbed into the wagon and beat him.

Reilly and Godfrey then, according to Harwood, divided the spoils. Harwood and Godfrey are now in jail here. The former will be taken to San Francisco tomorrow to stand trial. Reilly has not yet been located, but he is believed to be on his way to Sacramento.

POPE HAS GOUT.

Pontiff Is Obliged to Suspend His Audiences and Take to His Bed.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ROME, Jan. 17.—Owing to an attack of gout, the Pope has been reluctantly obliged to suspend his audiences.

He was visited yesterday by his private physician, Dr. Petucci, who insisted that the Pontiff go to bed, and to this the patient consented. The gout causes acute pains and a swelling of the knee.

On hearing of his illness, the Pope's sister came, to see him, and expressed the desire to nurse him.

FLAGSHIP IS SAFE.

No Basis Whatever for Report of Catastrophe to the Battleship Connecticut.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

RIO DE JANEIRO, Jan. 17.—There was considerable surprise and not a little amusement among the officers of the battleship fleet, as well as among the people of Rio, over numerous inquiries cabled here from the United States during the day, asking for information regarding a reported disaster to the battleship Connecticut, Admiral Evans's flagship.

At first the inquiries were mystifying to those to whom they were addressed, as the rumor of a mishap to the Connecticut did not originate here, and at the time frenzied inquiries were being telegraphed from the United States all the ships of the fleet were lying peacefully in the harbor in pain view from the shore.

Finally it became clear that the rumor of accident originated in the United States, and having been widely circulated, occasioned considerable alarm there.

The above dispatch from Rio thoroughly establishes the falsity of a sinister rumor circulated in many American cities as to a grave catastrophe to the American flagship. The rumor, originating in unscrupulous quarters, was systematically distributed from Boston to San Francisco, a number of newspapers being misled into printing the report.

GREEN-EYED MONSTER.

GARTER IS CAUSE OF FIST FIGHT.

MYSTERY OF ASSAULT IN IOWA IS EXPLAINED.

Washington State Man Who Went to Iowa and Whipped Classmate of Wife Was Prompted to Attack Because of Present Received by Girl Many Years Ago.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DES MOINES (Iowa) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A garter, with a pretty silk ribbon and a "frat" engraved buckle was at the bottom of the vicious assault of Carl M. Clemens of Snohomish, Wash., upon R. H. Dosh, the young Stuart lawyer, who lies in a dangerous condition at the Methodist Hospital.

Some fifteen years ago Dosh and Mrs. Clemens were classmates and warm friends at Simpson College, Indianola, and Dosh bought the garter and gave it to Mrs. Clemens. This was years before Clemens met his present wife upon the Pacific Coast, where she was visiting friends, but he has never liked the donor of the garter and has been insanely jealous of Dosh. Mrs. Clemens and Dosh have not met for years, neither have they corresponded, but this made no difference to Clemens, and he has brooded over the garter and its "frat" buckle with the engraved initials, and nothing that Mrs. Clemens could say or reason dictate would cool his anger.

So when Clemens met Dosh at the Capitol Wednesday and asked him, "How about that garter?" nothing that Dosh could say would clear up the matter, and so Clemens struck him. This is the cause of the two days' mystery which has baffled the officers.

FOR CALIFORNIA FRUIT.

Three Hundred Million Cans Are Ordered by Golden State Growers' Association.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—[Exclusiv Dispatch.] The American Sheet and Tin Plate Company has begun work on a huge contract with the American Can Company for 5000 carloads, or about 250,000 tons, of tin plate to be shipped from the tin plate mills to the can factory, where they will in turn make the plate into fruit cans.

The can factories will then ship their product to the canneries of the California Fruit Growers' Association, where they will be used for canning the fruit grown on the Pacific Coast.

The total number of cans ordered by the fruit growers' association is 300,000,000.

DAY OF SURPRISES.

MAY BAR PUBLIC.

Move to Spare Mrs. Harry Thaw.

All but Those Directly Interested in Case May Be Excluded.

Jerome Says "Horrible Tale" Should not Get Into Newspapers.

Defense Is Willing and Court Takes Matter Under Advisement.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—A series of surprises brought the Thaw trial near a crisis today. Both Evelyn Thaw, the wife, and Mrs. William Thaw, the mother of the defendant, were on the witness stand and, just as the former was about to relate anew the story of her life as she told it to Thaw in Paris in 1903, Dist.-Atty. Jerome arose and suggested that, in the interest of public morals, all persons except those interested in the case should be excluded from the courtroom, during what he claimed was the recital of a "horrible tale."

This would exclude representatives of newspapers as well as the public generally.

Attorney Littleton of the defense joined in to shield the young woman from hundreds of curious eyes and said that, so far as the right to an open hearing was concerned, he was ready to waive that point in any manner the court might suggest.

Proceedings were suspended until next Monday morning, when Justice Dowling, who is presiding, will announce his decision.

The District Attorney's suggestion was a distinct surprise, and called forth the remark from Justice Dowling that it would have come out with greater force at the first hearing.

When Mr. Jerome arose it was generally believed that he was about to contend against the admission of young Mrs. Thaw's testimony on the ground that it could not have had a very serious effect upon the mind of the man who became her husband, inasmuch as the homicide did not occur until three years after.

Mr. Jerome had previously objected to Mrs. Thaw detailing conversations she had with Thaw three years prior to the tragedy, but Justice Dowling ruled that the declarations of the defendant were admissible on general principles, and without any reference to the Wood case, under which the evidence in dispute was admitted last year, and upon which Mr. Jerome had been expected to ask a construction this year.

"I will not except to Your Honor's ruling," said the District Attorney, as he took his seat after his objection, "for the State has no power of appeal."

JEROME'S TACTICS.

Then Mr. Jerome attacked the witness in another way and, by standing immediately in front of her and objecting to practically every question which Mr. Littleton asked in his preliminary examination as to her early history, cut the young woman's recital from the effective narrative form it assumed last year into hundreds of fragments.

Many of the objections, based upon their irrelevency and immateriality, were sustained by the court. When these failed, the prosecution was ever ready with others until the testimony fairly was torn into shreds and had lost entirely the many little touches of human interest which were a part of the narration last year, when no objections were offered.

Mr. Jerome said his objections were intended to cut out all stories about pet cats, "and a lot of other stuff" which had no place in the trial.

The day, however, was one of good progress for the defense. The elder Mrs. Thaw, pale and weak from her recent illness, was assisted to the witness chair and repeated a large part of the testimony she gave a year ago. Her appearance and the sincerity of her evidence as she told of her son's strange conduct after meeting Evelyn Nesbit and hearing her story, had a marked effect upon all who listened.

On account of her weak condition, her examination was interrupted by consent, to be resumed some time next week, when she will tell of Thaw's infancy.

Dist.-Atty. Jerome's manner, while the mother was on the stand, was all deference and it was his suggestion which led to the respite in her ordeal.

But when the young wife took the stand, the change was marked. Jerome glared at her and his objections were fairly shouted in her ears. Well accustomed to court usage from her former experience, the young woman waited patiently for a ruling after each objection. When they were sustained she was silent; when overruled, she was ever ready with her response.

NERVOUS WHEN A CHILD.

Miss Alice G. Fletcher of Washington, D. C., who said she had been a frequent visitor at the Thaw household of Pittsburgh and had known Harry K. Thaw for twenty-six years, was the first witness today. She declared that Harry was an unusual child, nervous and moody, with wild and staring eyes. He seldom talked

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FINANCIAL.

BANKERS WILL FRAME A BILL.

American Association's Commission Meets Today.

Amendment of Old Fowler Bill Deemed Essential.

Desire Elasticity of Currency Above All Things.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The spirit of compromise and conciliation, to the end that some advance may be made toward improvements in the nation's currency system, will be the keynote of the conference of the currency commission of the American Bankers' Association, which will be held at the Commercial National Bank tomorrow, beginning at 10 o'clock.

Already the views and desires of the majority of the members of the commission are known, and the work of the commission in making changes in the last year's Fowler bill for presentation in the present session of Congress probably will be completed in a single day's session.

According to the earliest arrivals for the conference, the action bids fair to be as harmonious and unanimous as that of the conference of a year ago, when the American bankers' bill, later incorporated in the Fowler bill, which was presented in Congress, was accepted unanimously, and recommended for enactment.

MEMBERS ARRIVE.

The first members of the commission to arrive in Chicago were Frederick E. Farnsworth of New York, secretary of the American Bankers' Association, and Robert Wardrop, president of the People's National Bank of Pittsburgh. Mr. Farnsworth and Mr. Wardrop arrived at the Auditorium late in the evening, and installed themselves in quarters which have been reserved for members of the commission. The other members will arrive tomorrow morning, and will proceed at once to the work in hand.

Mr. Farnsworth and Mr. Wardrop both forecast the outcome of the conference tomorrow. They think that the sentiment already expressed by bankers in favor of the Fowler bill will result in agreement on a measure which, although it probably will exhibit a number of compromise features, will more closely resemble the Fowler bill than the measure proposed by Senator Aldrich and others.

"I believe the work of the conference will proceed rapidly and with little obstruction, for all of us seem to have about the same idea of the currency legislation needed," said Mr. Farnsworth.

"We probably will complete the work of the conference within the day and the outcome is pretty sure to be a measure similar to the old Fowler bill."

CRITICISES ALDRICH BILL.

Mr. Wardrop was more outspoken in his opinion of the Aldrich bill and did not hesitate to declare that it won little favor with him and with banking in his section of the country.

"The Aldrich bill is not much more than an extension of the existent bond-secured currency and such a move would be a great mistake," said he. "The bond-secured currency served its purpose during war time, but the present needs of the country have outgrown it and it should be relegated to the past. I cannot see that it would add to the elasticity of the currency and greater elasticity is the one great thing which is being aimed at in all proposed changes in the currency."

BANKS ON CASH BASIS.

Seattle Financiers Will Discontinue the Use of Clearinghouse Certificates Next Monday.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SEATTLE, (Wash.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Seattle banks will resume a cash basis on Monday, nearly two months in advance of the time set by the Clearinghouse Association for the redemption of the certificates issued by the association in December. The association issued certificates to the value of $2,000,000 which were to have been redeemed April 1, but the banks have been paying cash for the past two weeks.

Business conditions throughout the city have undergone marked improvement since the advent of the new year, as shown by the daily bank clearances, which have increased uniformly.

More Bankers Indicted.

JACKSON (Mich.) Jan. 17.—The grand jury has indicted W. Q. Sharp, cashier, and Dr. T. M. Walker, president of the Mendenhall bank, which failed recently. The indictments charged them with receiving deposits after knowing the bank to be insolvent.

TRIES TO [illegible]VEN.

Member of Goldfield Commission Tells of Miner Stealing Ore Than He Could Carry.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A member of the President's special commission in Nevada to look into the labor troubles there has been telling a good story about how persons acquire wealth in those parts, and incidentally how hard it is to keep the peace between the mine owners and the miners.

"That Goldfield deposit is doubtless the richest gold territory ever opened in the world," said a member of the President's commission. "The miners not unnaturally are aggrieved because the owners get all the profits, and they adopt the most devious ways of getting even.

"One day I saw a man come up from a shaft and try to get away without changing his clothes. He walked a little distance, and, stumbling over a plank, fell. He was so laden with pay dirt that he could not get up till he was helped."

CHINA RUSHES GUN ORDERS.

PARIS, Jan. 17.—China has placed an important urgent order for quick firing guns in Paris. Whether the guns are purchased owing to the acute relations between China and Japan, or on account of internal troubles, is unknown here.

MAY BAR PUBLIC.

(Continued From First Page.)

coherently and was unable to carry on a sustained conversation.

"Throughout the period you knew Harry Thaw, did his acts and appearance impress you as rational or irrational?" asked Mr. Littleton.

"Irrational," declared the witness.

Miss Fletcher told of seeing Thaw at his mother's house in 1903. Thaw said he had had an awful experience, that he believed he had a terrible disease of the eyes and thought he was going to die, in fact, he wanted to die. He mentioned Evelyn Nesbit's name frequently, but his talk usually was too incoherent to follow. His eyes looked without seeing, apparently. On cross-examination Miss Fletcher said that although a frequent guest at the Thaw home, she had never known Harry to be placed under restraint in any way.

Mr. Jerome wanted to know if the witness' impression of Thaw was only of a nervous, eccentric man, or a person of unsound mind.

"He impressed me always as a person who was not rational," declared Miss Fletcher. "He often acted oddly and would leave his meals untouched."

"Did you ever counsel with his mother as to Thaw's mental condition?" asked the prosecution.

"I remember his mother's anxiety and her speaking to me about it."

"Do you remember anybody you ever discussed the matter with?"

"I never discussed Harry Thaw with anybody."

CORRECTED BY JUDGE.

Mr. Jerome asked many questions as to the ideas of irrationality the witness entertained and then started to inquire as to whether she had ever observed a young man very much in love with a chorus girl, when Justice Dowling interrupted to say there was nothing in evidence so far as to any chorus girl.

"Well," said the prosecutor, "had you ever before observed a young man who told you of a beautiful young woman who had been greatly wronged?"

"No."

Miss Fletcher insisted that Thaw's talk constantly was incoherent, with a shifting of subjects. She could not recall any particular occasion on which there had been a violent outbreak.

Catherine Neill, an elderly woman who was a nurse in the Thaw family for six years and took charge of Harry K. Thaw when he was between three and four years of age, testified as to the childhood of the defendant. She described him as very nervous and moody. He would have nervous outbreaks, which would end in complete collapse. His mouth would twitch and there were general facial contortions. The nervous outbreaks occurred during all the year the nurse was in the employ of the family, causing her to reach the conclusion that Harry's mind was affected.

Dist.-Atty. Jerome sought on cross-examination to show that Thaw was simply a child of nervous disposition and an ungovernable temper. The nurse admitted he showed all of these tendencies. It was necessary, she said, to call in the family physicians during the outbreaks, and he also suffered from St. Vitus dance.

MRS. THAW CALLED.

Mr. Littleton here caused a ripple of excitement by calling Evelyn Nesbit Thaw to the stand. It had been said yesterday, and again this morning, that she would not be a witness until next week. Young Mrs. Thaw, in her blue schoolgirl dress, appeared promptly and walked briskly to the witness chair, where Clerk Penhy administered the usual oath.

While Mrs. Thaw was sitting with anxious face, ready for her examination, Mr. Littleton changed tactics and asked her to withdraw for the time being, to make way for Policeman Thomas F. Lynch, who was doorkeeper at the Tenderloin Police Station at the time Thaw was confined there following the shooting of White.

Lynch repeated the testimony he gave at the first trial as to Thaw complaining the morning after his arrest of hearing the voices of children 10 or 11 years of age in the tier of cells above his own. The officer said to Thaw:

"No, you must be dopey. I don't hear anything."

Thaw's action in the station impressed the witness as irrational.

PRISONER'S MOTHER TESTIFIES.

Mrs. William Thaw saw her son for the first time in months during the noon recess. The meeting was affectionate. Evelyn Thaw, the wife, came in during the interview, and it is stated she was cordially greeted by the elder woman.

When the afternoon session began, Mrs. William Thaw was called, and questioned by Mr. Littleton. Thaw looked intently and earnestly at his mother, who was very pale and weak, in sharp contrast to the ruddy good health which marked her appearance a year ago. Her testimony closely followed that of the last trial, beginning with the return of her son to his Pittsburgh home in November, 1903, after Evelyn Nesbit had told him her story in Paris that summer.

"Usually Harry came home buoyant and joyous," she declared, "but this time there was not a smile."

Mrs. Thaw said she asked her son what was the matter. "I can't tell you, mother," he replied. "I never can tell you." The mother then repeated what she had related on the stand last year as to her son crying and moaning during the night, of his frequent playing at the piano, when the music would begin loud, and then die away until finally it would stop, Thaw sitting a long while at the instrument with head cast down.

Mrs. Thaw said she frequently asked her son what was worrying him, and finally he declared that a beautiful young girl he was interested in had had a terrible experience in New York. The mother told him he should not worry much about such matters; that the girl had a mother who should care for her. Thaw replied that the girl's mother had not looked after her, and that was why it all had happened.

Harry Thaw eventually told his mother the young girl's name was Nesbit.

"The name meant nothing to me," declared the witness, "for I had never heard of the young woman before. Harry said it had all occurred when Miss Nesbit was a little girl. It was in New York, he said. I tried to impress upon him that he was not responsible for the sins of other men."

"Did you call in a physician?" asked Mr. Littleton.

"I did not, but Harry called in our family physician."

BREAKS DOWN IN CHURCH.

Mrs. Thaw next told of the day when she and her son went to Thanksgiving Day services at the Presbyterian Church at Pittsburgh, when Thaw broke down and cried while the choir was singing Kipling's Recessional.

"Just to think," Thaw sobbed, "if it had not happened, she might have been here with us today."

Mrs. Thaw described Harry's crying as a perfect shower of tears.

Thaw said to her that the Nesbit girl had been put on the stage by her mother.

"But she will never be able to make a living," he exclaimed.

"She will never be a great actress, and poor actresses, mother, go under."

In 1904 the family went abroad and Harry was left at a watering place in France.

"When did you next see him?"

"Not until after the sensational return to New York of the two on the same steamer. Evelyn and Harry came on the same steamer."

Mrs. Thaw said she was not pleased with the notoriety and sent for Harry. He declared there was nothing wrong in anything he had done and the young woman had been very ill.

Mrs. Thaw told of her consent early in 1906 to her son's marriage with Miss Nesbit, with the provision that the girl's past history never was to be mentioned again.

The marriage was performed in Pittsburgh in April, 1905, and the two went West on their wedding trip.

"Harry, in all his talk, never suggested at any time that it had been the girl's fault," said Mrs. Thaw. The examination was temporarily suspended here, Mrs. Thaw had to be assisted from the witness chair.

AGAIN TELLS HER STORY.

Mrs. Evelyn Nesbit Thaw was then called to the stand. She said she was the wife of the defendant and was born Christmas Day, 1884. Her father died when she was 10 years old.

Dist.-Atty. Jerome objected to practically every question Mr. Littleton asked the witness as to her early history and he was sustained in many of them. The questions ruled out usually had to do with how long she lived in various places and her age when the moves were made.

Mr. Jerome said he did not want the time of the jury taken up this year as it was last time with stories about "pet cats and other irrelevant stuff."

Mr. Littleton noted an exception each time the court sustained the objections. Young Mrs. Thaw finally was allowed to say that when living in Philadelphia before coming to New York she posed for various artists. At this time she was 14 years of age. The witness was allowed to tell of coming to New York at the age of 15 and of posing for artists here. She was not allowed to tell how much compensation she obtained or whether her mother was employed at the time. Mrs. Thaw then told of going on the stage in "Florodora." The details of her seeking employment and the difficulty because of her youth were barred from the jury this year, Mr. Jerome being ever ready with objection to shut out much of the testimony that was allowed at the first trial.

As Mr. Jerome continued to interrupt the witness with objections, Justice Dowling announced he would allow only such questions as tended to give an outline of Mrs. Thaw's early life as tending to establish her credibility. The witness said she first met Harry Thaw just before Christmas, 1901. She saw him several times in 1902—once while she was ill at school in New Jersey.

"How long were you ill?"

"Objected to," said Jerome.

So the examination proceeded, the prosecuter objecting every time the attorney for the defense turned a question from the direct sequence of events in the young woman's career.

HER CONFESSION.

Mrs. Thaw, over the never-ceasing objections of the District Attorney, told of going to Europe in the spring of 1903, following a severe illness. Thaw's servants and her mother accompanied her and Thaw himself met her in Paris and carried her to an apartment which had been prepared for her.

Thaw, the witness said, was very attentive in Paris, and asked her to marry him.

"I replied that I could not. He asked if it was because of Stanford White, and I said it was. He then wanted to know all about it."

Mr. Jerome here asked that the public, including the newspaper men, be excluded from the court room during the recital of Mrs. Thaw's story as related to Thaw in Paris. He said it was shocking in every way and should be excluded.

Justice Dowling said the suggestion would have come with greater force at the first trial. Excluding the newspaper men at this time would not prevent the publication of testimony as first given. He asked, however, that the newspaper men exercise their power for the public good by suppressing as many of the details as possible.

Mr. Jerome said the papers would not publish anything like the same reports as last year or they would lay themselves liable for prosecution.

"I have nothing to do with the newspapers or what they choose to do," said Justice Dowling, "but I am ready to receive suggestions from counsel."

Attorney Littleton here arose and said that while he had given no thought as to the effect on the public, he asked for Mrs. Thaw's sake that the public and newspaper writers be excluded.

It was decided that further consideration should be given to the matter and no decision will be announced until the next sitting of the court. To occupy the remaining hour of the session, Mrs. Thaw was asked to identify many of the exhibits introduced at the last trial.

Adjournment was taken until Monday morning.

MEMBERS OF THAW FAMILY LISTENING TO TESTIMONY.

UP AND DOWN THE VALLEY.

PITH OF NEWS FROM THE MIDDLE WEST.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Assurances that the indications are favorable for a continuance of the present cold snap were given out at the Weather Bureau today. The thaw, if there is any soon, is at least twenty-four hours away. Today was the coldest of the present season, the mercury recording 15 deg., minimum, and did not go beyond 12 deg. Middle West temperatures:

	Max.	Min.
Alpena	34	14
Bismarck	36	22
Cairo	40	29
Cheyenne	40	34
Cincinnati	32	24
Cleveland	32	16
Concordia	34	26
Davenport	44	14
Denver	44	34
Des Moines	44	22
Detroit	28	14
Devil's Lake	20	4
Dodge City	52	22
Dubuque	40	16
Duluth	30	18
Escanaba	28	16
Grand Rapids	30	14
Green Bay	28	10
Helena	42	20
Huron	32	24
Indianapolis	34	14
Kansas City	50	22
Marquette	28	18
Memphis	40	24
Milwaukee	32	14
Omaha	46	26
St. Louis	44	18
St. Paul	34	22
Sault Ste. Marie	24	18
Springfield, Ill.	34	14
Springfield, Mo.	42	11
Wichita	54	26

SHOT AND ROBBED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

KANSAS CITY, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] T. A. McMillen of Lewisville, O., a book agent for a Chicago firm, was shot twice and robbed early today. McMillen said he believed he had been shot by a woman.

MRS. FIELDS'S GIFT.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A gift of $5000 from Mrs. Marshall Field to the Orchestral Association, the supporting body of the Thomas Orchestra and Orchestra Hall, has just been announced. The gift has given an added impetus to plans for the concerted action on the part of the trustees of the association to secure subscriptions for the liquidation of the $330,000 mortgage which rests upon the property.

SALVATION ARMY CHANGES.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Col. George French, who has been in charge of the Salvation Army work on the Pacific Coast, will come here from California at the end of the month to serve as territorial secretary. Col. Charles Miles already has left Chicago to take Col. French's place.

SHOT BY MANIAC.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DECATUR (Ill.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] William Hagenbaugh, 60 years old, a farmer living near Chestnut, was fatally shot tonight by Sam Hatchett, an escaped inmate of an insane asylum. Mr. Hagenbaugh assisted in taking Hatchett to the hospital a few months ago and since that time an intense hatred of his neighbor has rankled in the insane man's mind.

TARRED AND FEATHERED.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

FARMINGTON (Iowa) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] A mob tonight went to the home of Ed Rockwell, editor of the Farmington Herald, and hustling him into a carriage, took him to the edge of the town and gave him a coat of tar and feathers. Rockwell has been making bitter attacks on business men, Councilmen and lodge members.

NOTED SURGEON INSANE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

OMAHA (Neb.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Dr. H. L. Gets, formerly chief surgeon of the Chicago and Northwestern Railroad, and twice president of the National Association of Surgeons, has suddenly become insane here. He is from Marshalltown, Iowa.

The Masonic Temple, on North Charles street, Baltimore, Md., was gutted by fire early yesterday. All of the structure above the second floor is a hollow shell. The loss on building and Masonic equipment was placed at $250,000.

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PACIFIC SLOPE.

GOLDFIELD IS AGAIN HAPPY.

Retention of Troops Brings New Confidence.

Union Thugs Helpless in Face of Soldiers.

Nevada Solons to Act on Militia Monday.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

GOLDFIELD, Jan. 17.—The news that President Roosevelt will permit the troops to remain here until the organization of a State constabulary for the protection of life and property throughout the State, caused much rejoicing among the law-abiding citizens of this district. It is admitted that with the presence of the troops the possibility of serious trouble growing out of the labor situation is very remote.

The stock board reflected the feeling of optimism in the camp, following the news from Washington, and the general opinion now is that business will rapidly improve.

SKAGGS IN SADDLE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CARSON CITY, Jan. 17.—A short session in both houses of the Legislature this morning resulted in no action to introduce measures for the relief of the Goldfield situation. This cannot be taken up until Monday, as the special committee having such measures in hand has granted the public until that time to file petitions in regard to this matter.

There was a lively argument in the Assembly over the constitutionality of that body. Folsom of Washoe offered a resolution naming the officers of the body with Skaggs as Speaker. Skaggs ruled the resolution out of order. Folsom appealed from the decision. Husky defended the chair, stating authorities to sustain the organization of the Assembly. Upon the Speaker was sustained and the resolution lost.

In the Senate the body was occupied with judicial matters. A message from the Governor was expected, recommending another judge for Goldfield and Esmeralda. Upon discussion it was found that the measure would meet with opposition, but that the Governor would stand for redistricting the section giving a new judge to Esmeralda county and moving Judge Langdon to this end of the State. The Governor will remodel his message to meet the situation.

WAIT TILL MONDAY.

A special committee of both houses will meet at 9 o'clock this afternoon to look over petitions and suggestions relative to the Goldfield situation. The houses adjourned until Monday, when the Goldfield constabulary bill will be taken up.

The bill set on the floor of the Senate before adjournment that a message had been received from the President, retaining troops in the field, and that Congress would make an investigation of the conditions. In answer to the query to Gov. Dickerson, the telegram he stated he had received no word from the President since sending the message to Washington yesterday. He stated that all dispatches from the President had been delayed and that all executive matters had to go to him through the press ahead of the message.

Members of the Goldfield Miners' Union are in town to meet with the special committee this afternoon to present their views on the policing question.

CONGRESS MAY INQUIRE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Application for a Congressional investigation of Goldfield, Nev., mining troubles is being received by the House Committee on Labor, according to Chairman Gardner of that committee, who conferred with President Roosevelt today. Mr. Gardener said that representations are being made to him from all points of view, and that the most urgent demand seemed to be that means be provided for the retention of troops at Goldfield until all possibility of trouble between the miners and mine operators should be obviated.

There is pending before the committee a resolution addressed to the President, intended to bring out all of the correspondence and reports on the subject.

Mr. Gardener said the President is very well posted regarding the situation.

TROOPS WILL REMAIN.

In communication to the President from Sparks, under today's date, the resolution adopted by the State Legislature yesterday by a dissenting vote and earnestly asks the President to carefully consider the same.

Troops are working on a constabulary bill which will keep you advised of the Governor concludes.

The President's reply is as follows: In response to your telegram transmitting the resolution of the Legislature of Nevada, I authorize you to say to the Legislature in accordance with the request, I will permit the troops to remain in Nevada for such reasonable length of time as will give opportunity to the Legislature to organize such police force as will enable the local authorities to perform the functions of the State. I assume, however, that there will be all possible expedition in providing this police force.

The House Committee on Labor today decided to report favorably the resolution calling on the President for the transmission of the report of the Goldfield troubles reported to him by the special commission of investigation.

SETS DATE FOR RESCUE.

[BEARING SOLID GROUND.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 17.—Foreman Gallagher, in charge of the rescue work in the coal shaft, said today that he believed by Saturday will be the maximum time that will be required to release the entombed men. About fourteen feet is to be made before the solid ground, which comes into the bottom of the shaft, is reached, from where the solid ground will be found to the 300-foot level, where the men are.

APPOINTMENT STATE WARDEN.

NEVADA'S POLICE PLAN.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CARSON, Jan. 17.—Congressman Roberts is assisting in the framing of a State police law, stated this afternoon that a bill is being framed by a committee on a State warden.

The warden is to be appointed by the Governor, and his actions are to be under the control of a board of control, consisting of the Governor, Attorney-General and Secretary of State.

The warden will have the appointing of from fifty to one hundred men with pay at $5 per day during time of active service.

LAW'S LONG ARM.

CHASES THIEVES AROUND WORLD.

ARRESTED IN CALIFORNIA FOR BIG LONDON CRIME.

Scotland Yard Detective Gets Prisoners at Merced, According to Police, After Nearly Five Years' Pursuit, for Robbing Wealthy Family of $200,000 in Jewelry.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

MERCED, Jan. 17.—It was reported here today that, on last Sunday, a Scotland Yard detective arrested in this city two men who are accused of having committed a $200,000 jewelry robbery in London nearly five years ago.

The accused men, it is said, waived extradition and expressed a willingness to return to London at once.

It is further reported that the detective and his prisoners left for New York Sunday night on the Santa Fé overland.

The story did not become public until today. The city officials claim that two men were arrested and taken away but they are unable to give any names or furnish any further information, and as a result a verification of the story cannot be obtained.

According to the story told, four years ago last April, the home of a wealthy resident of London was robbed of a large amount of jewelry valued at $200,000. Simultaneously with the burglary, the groom and the butler employed in the house disappeared. The Scotland Yard detectives traced the men around the world.

Sunday morning two men walked into a saloon on Main street and were about to take a drink when a third man entered and invited the others to drink with him. The newcomer called one of them by name, and the fellow replied:

"Well, I guess the game is up."

The other fellow remarked something to the effect that "the law follows a man to the ends of the earth."

The stranger was a Scotland Yard detective and the others were the supposed burglars. The two men had come to Merced on the midnight Santa Fé train Saturday night from San Francisco. The detective had followed them around the world, finally tracing them to San Francisco, where he learned Saturday that they had just purchased tickets to Merced. He came on to Merced on the next train, reaching here a couple of hours after they did.

ENGINEERS AT EUREKA.

INVESTIGATE HARBOR NEEDS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—The board of United States army engineers, sent to this Coast from Washington to investigate the needs of harbor improvements, today met a delegation of representative citizens of Eureka at the headquarters of the California Promotion Company.

George A. Knight, acting as spokesman, briefly presented the claims of Eureka harbor for improvement by the Federal government. He then handed the engineers formal statement setting forth in detail the desired work at Eureka, which was formally accepted for consideration.

This afternoon, the board examined Oakland harbor, and started for Stockton, whence they will go to Sacramento.

GIRL PRISONER UNDER KNIFE.

OLIVE SCULLY AT HOSPITAL.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

OAKLAND, Jan. 17.—Olive Scully, accused of the murder of Deputy County Clerk James Glover, was taken from the County Jail, where she has been awaiting trial, last night, to the Fabiola Hospital and operated upon.

This morning the surgeons say her chances of recovery, which have been in doubt, are very much better. She is suffering from acute blood poisoning. Her case is set for February 12. Guards are stationed at the hospital.

RUSSIAN EXILES IN COLONY.

BUY FRUIT FARM ON COAST.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

MARYSVILLE, Jan. 17.—The first colony of Russian peasants to come to California, yesterday bought the famous Abbott fruit orchard in Sutter county. The colonists will build a town at Abbottstan, nine miles south of Marysville with homes, schools, etc.

Fourteen families will be here next week, and more are to follow. The people are said to be like the Dunkards, thrifty and religious. They were compelled to leave Russia because of their religious views.

Over two hundred persons will be on the ground by March 1. A big vegetable garden to ship vegetables to San Francisco, Sacramento and Marysville, will be a feature of the new colony.

BANKER DIES ON BOAT.

WAS ON HIS WAY HERE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

ASTORIA, Jan. 17.—Henry Brook, a prominent banker of Spokane, died last night on the steamer Roanoke as she was coming down the river from Portland. He was on his way to Southern California, accompanied by his wife and son-in-law, J. M. Moore, for the benefit of his health. He had recently suffered a stroke of paralysis. His death was very sudden, and he died within a few moments after his heart became affected. His body was shipped from here today to Spokane.

LAWYER'S JAW BROKEN.

DELAY IN GRAFT CASES.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—William Rix, attorney for the defendants in the Parkside franchise cases, having accidentally broken his jaw, Judge Dunne today continued the hearing for one week.

Abraham Ruef and Eugene E. Schmitz were the only defendants present when they were called. Two cases against Schmitz to be tried also came up before Judge Dunne this morning, and by agreement, were continued for a week. One was for accepting a bribe in connection with the fixing of the gas rate, the other in the trolley cases.

GOLD DISCOVERER IS ILL.

Felix Pedro, "Daniel Boone of Alaska," Has Adventurous Life in Many Mining Fields.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TACOMA, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] In a pleasant room of a Tacoma private sanitarium, slowly recovering from an operation for appendicitis, lies Felix Pedro, discoverer of gold in the Fairbanks country, and known from Nome to San Francisco as the "Daniel Boone of Alaska."

Few men have had more varied lives than that of Felix Pedro. He was born nearly fifty years ago, of Swiss parents, on Italian soil; he spent his early life beneath sunny Mediterranean skies, where he was known as Felecius Pedroni. Early in manhood the call of great, free America came to Pedroni and he was unable to resist. It was in Colorado that Pedro learned to love the sheen of yellow gold and the carefree life of the prospector, and for twenty years he had toiled and labored and suffered untold privations on adventurous searches for the precious stuff.

From Colorado Pedro drifted to California, but in the late '90s he resolved to cast his destinies with Alaska and the Yukon. Almost before the world even dreamed of the hidden wealth of the Fairbanks country, Pedro was "mushing" trails and panning shining sands which line the banks of Alaskan creeks and streams.

Early in 1901 he crossed the American border and entered the vast Fairbanks country. Day after day he toiled and panned along the creek which now bears his name, and toward the end of a late summer date made the discovery which led Judge Wickersham in later years to call him "the Daniel Boone of Alaska."

Pedro's strike was among the sands of Pedro Creek, sixteen miles from the present city of Fairbanks. Shortly after he made the discovery news of the find was heralded to the world, and there followed that historic rush for the Eldorado of the North. Pedro still owns claim No. 1 on Pedro Creek.

COURT TWO DAYS, WED.

Meet on Train, They Recognize Affinities, and Hasten to Get Knot Tied.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

TACOMA, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At Olympia, two days' courtship has proved sufficient for G. L. Baxter and Florence Graham to make up their minds to ship together for the rest of life's voyage, and they were married today.

They met on a train near Billings, Mont., two days ago. He was traveling from Texas, and she from New York. Both recognized their affinity at first sight, and as soon as they reached Olympia they sought the County Auditor.

Not a soul did they know in all the West to identify them when the hard-hearted clerk demanded a witness who had known them for one year past, and could swear that they were eligible to marry.

The bride-to-be looked badly worried. Not so with the groom. He left the Courthouse, saying "Where there's a will there's a way," and soon returned with two witnesses ready to stand sponsor. On leaving the Courthouse they went to Police Judge Guiberson, who married them.

WRECKAGE ASHORE.

CUTTER INVESTIGATING.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—The Merchants' Exchange tonight received a dispatch from Victoria, B. C., stating that further wreckage supposed to be from the British ship Hartfield, is coming ashore at Estevan Point. The wreckage consists of cabin and deck furniture, a wooden life preserver marked in pencil, "Hartfield, Liverpool." A portion of a vessel's stern, which is square, has also come ashore. The revenue cutter Perry has been ordered to investigate.

CLAIMS AN ALIBI.

PRISONER DENIES MURDER.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

PHOENIX, Jan. 17.—John Cline, held in jail here suspected of the murder of Charlie Edwards in Tonto Basin, a week ago, denies knowledge of the crime and claims that he can prove an alibi. He says he was working at Hassock, a short distance away, and heard the shots, his son and another man being near by at the time. He denies any serious quarrel with Edwards, though they had had a trivial difficulty. Word from Globe is that the Sheriff has a good chain of circumstantial evidence, not to be disclosed until the examination.

TWO HELD FOR MURDER.

Prisoners Have Preliminary Hearing but Are Kept in Separate Jails Until Jury Acts.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PHOENIX, Jan. 17.—After a preliminary examination at Florence, R. G. Stewart and Ed Fondren were held to answer for the murder of A. J. Daggs and George Detmore, alias Hunter, near Superior, January 1. Fondren was brought to Phoenix to await action by the grand jury in order to keep him apart from Stewart, who is held in the Florence jail. The defense offered no testimony at the examination.

THIRD ALCOHOL VICTIM.

BLUEJACKETS DRINK POISON.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

VALLEJO, Jan. 17.—John Haff of the cruiser St. Louis died here yesterday from effects of wood alcohol, surreptitiously taken. He is the third victim in a week to succumb to the poisonous drink, two other sailors are totally blind from the same cause, and five others may never again be fit for active service. Harry Wilson and James T. Hayes are the other two bluejackets who are dead from the drink.

The men procured the wood alcohol from a quantity of linoleum cement, which they softened by pouring water on it, with the result that the alcohol floated to the top. They managed to get about two and a half gallons of the concoction, which ten of them drank.

WARRANT OUT FOR CASHIER.

Order for Arrest of Fugitive Issued on Day Receiver for Bank Is Appointed.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

BELLINGHAM, Jan. 17.—George Montford was today appointed temporary receiver for the Exchange State Bank of Blaine, which closed its doors January 15. The affairs of the bank are alleged to be in a hopeless state and the institution practically without funds. It will be several days before the liabilities are known.

O. C. Mathis, cashier, has disappeared and a warrant was issued this afternoon for his arrest. He is charged with forging school bonds and hypothecating them with his own bank. It is also alleged that he looted the bank of every security held by it and hypothecated them with outside banks. No notes discounted by the bank can be found in the vaults, neither can the proceeds received for them.

Mathis disappeared the day before the bank suspended and is believed to be in Canada. He was cashier of a bank in Blaine, which failed two years ago.

J. Senler, president of the defunct bank, is Mathis's father-in-law.

REFUSE TO BE INSPECTED.

Naval Men on Army Transport Cause Trouble Because of Order of Officer.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—The United States army transport Buford arrived here today from the Philippines, with a number of returning troops and other passengers.

The Bulletin says that during the trip, trouble was caused on the vessel by an order issued by Capt. George P. White, an army officer in charge of the troops aboard the ship, that marines, bluejackets and sailors alike comply with an army regulation which requires an inspection of the men for personal cleanliness every two weeks. No such regulation exists in the navy and the men homeward bound for discharge from the ships of the Pacific fleet declined to comply with it.

Petty Officer Myers, chief gunner's mate, from the St. Helena, was thrown into the brig shortly after the Buford left Nagasaki on this account, and thereupon 134 bluejackets and marines rose as a body and demanded that he be released and that the order of Capt. White be rescinded so far as it applied to them.

After a demonstration on the upper deck and an appeal to the Marine Naval officers aboard, the men carried their point and Capt. Hall, in command, ordered the release of the imprisoned petty officer.

The matter of inspection was then allowed to drop.

WILL FIGHT FOR FORTUNE.

Three Stockton Women Believe They Have Share of $4,000,000 Estate in Illinois.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

STOCKTON, Jan. 17.—Mrs. H. W. Griffith, Mrs. J. D. McDougald and Mrs. Mary Percival of this city, nieces of Mrs. Lydia Bradley, who died at Peoria, Ill., this week, leaving an estate estimated to be worth $4,000,000, believe that they are entitled to a share of the wealth and will contest the will, which gives $2,200,000 to the Polytechnic School of Peoria, among other bequests.

Mrs. Bradley was a sister of Capt. "Billy" Moss, who came to this locality many years ago, leaving a vast estate in Peoria, in charge of Mrs. Bradley's husband, as his agent.

Moss also left a large estate here when he died some years ago. The three nieces mentioned are his daughters.

ACCUSES RAILROAD OF FRAUD.

Mine Owners Say Northern Pacific Has Secured Control of Valuable Mineral Land.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

HELENA (Mont.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At a meeting of Montant mine owners held here today, called for the purpose of protesting against the increased rates inaugurated by the American Smelting and Refining Company at East Helena, the customs smelter, now being operated in the State, a fund of $10,000 was raised for organization purposes, and an adjournment taken until February 17 next.

A decided sensation was sprung when charges were made that through alleged fraudulent classification under its Congressional land grant, the Northern Pacific had secured control of much valuable mineral property. A committee was appointed to investigate this. Ex-Senator Clark was made the chairman of a committee to bring about a reduction in smelting rates, and if unsuccessful the operators will build an independent smelting plant here.

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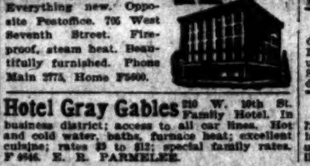

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Vote Funds for Sanitation.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—Yesterday the Supervisors agreed to appropriate $11,500, additional to the $5000 allowed for special sanitary work during January, for the sanitary work of the Board of Health. The Federal government is now expending $30,000 monthly for the same purpose.

Brownson May Live at Oxnard.

SANTA BARBARA, Jan. 17.—It is reported that Rear-Admiral Brownson, retired, who recently resigned as chief of the Bureau of Navigation, will make his future home at Oxnard, Ventura county, with his son, Charles, who owns a large ranch near that place.

Stanford Class President.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Jan. 17.—K. L. Fenton of Portland, Or., was today unanimously elected president of the senior class. Fenton was the star of last year's Rugby and is captain of this year's baseball team. He registers in the department of law. D. P. Crawford, a member of the Rugby team, has been elected president of the junior class.

Fifteen prominent law students paraded the campus today in all manner of fantastic costumes, while undergoing an initiation into the Phi Delta Phi legal fraternity. The performance closed at noon with an amateur minstrel show on the postoffice steps.

AT NEW YORK HOTELS.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the Hotel Astor, A. E. Neuman and wife, M. Spior.

FAIRMONT GUESTS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] At the Fairmont, J. B. Lankershim, John W. Mitchell, Charles A. Cooke, H. S. Mudd, Mr. and Mrs. Robert Y. Tait, Florence Tait, Howard Cooper, Mr. and Mrs. Ralph G. Ralfus.

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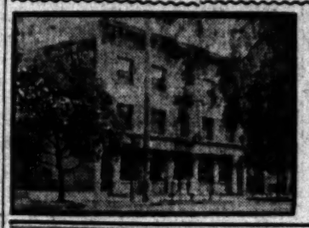

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TO CONFOUND HIS CRITICS.

Cortelyou's Report Put Off Until Monday.

Members of Congress Scored, It Is Reported.

Secretary Plans Memorable Valedictory.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Secretary Cortelyou has put off until next Monday the delivery of his report in response to the resolutions passed by the House and Senate. All of the necessary information has been prepared by the First Assistant Secrtary, J. H. Edwards, but Mr. Cortelyou wishes to make his own explanation of the details of the report.

He was engaged yesterday and today in this work and it was announced this evening that the report would not be ready for transmission before Monday.

Mr. Cortelyou intends not only to make this report a valedictory but one that will be remembered. It is stated that many of the congressional critics of the treasury will be sorry to see it, if the Secretary carries out his present purpose of including in his report all the correspondence that he received in connection with the recent financial panic.

It is stated at the Treasury Department that some of the Senators and Representatives who have been most active in criticising the department for its distribution of funds were among those who importuned most for funds for their particular localities.

Mr. Cortelyou feels that he is under fire and is determined to not only reply, but to reply sharply.

The Secretary of the Treasury attended the Cabinet meeting today. He then returned to his desk to continue the cleaning up process. Mr. Cortelyou feels that he must make complete answer to the Senate before leaving the Cabinet and the President has expressed appreciation of his position. It is a mutual understanding that when this is done, Mr. Cortelyou will retire.

BIG DITCH.

CANAL PAPER CAUSES STORM.

LIVELY DISCUSSION OCCURS IN SENATE COMMITTEE.

Doubt Is Expressed as to Propriety of Commission Issuing Official Newspaper Showing Progress of Work at Panama—Col. Goethals Tells Why Publication Is Issued.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—The question of the propriety of the Isthmian Canal Commission issuing an official newspaper for the dissemination of information about the progress of the work at Panama, caused a lively discussion in the hearing before the Senate Committee on Interoceanic Canals today.

There was an echo of the debate in the Senate two years ago, when the literary bureau conducted by James B. Bishop, the present editor of the Canal Record, was roundly scored as a government institution that had no right to exist and which eventually resulted in a promise to cease publication in the face of an amendment by Senator Culberson abolishing the bureau. Senator Culberson intimated today that the promise had not been kept.

Col. Goethals told why the paper had been established, and said it was now being run to show the men on all parts of the line what was being done at other points.

"It does good," said the colonel, "because it keeps the men informed of official orders and fosters a spirit of rivalry as to the amount of work that is daily accomplished at different points."

Senator Flint expressed himself as being in entire accord with the Canal Record proposition.

Senator Brandegee questioned Col. Goethals closely as to the price of the canal, and it developed that in the opinion of Col. Goethals it may possibly be built at a figure a trifle less than $300,000,000. He simply said he was in the habit of estimating the cost of projects at a high enough figure to insure their being accomplished within the price. He said that the Gatun dam and locks were being constructed two or three times better than necessary. This was due to public opinion, which demanded all proper precaptions in the building of the canal.

Col. Goethals expressed the opinion that the Panama Railroad would always be in use, because a number of ships from the North would not go through the canal, but would transfer their cargoes by rail and return.

Col. Goethals intimated that there may eventually be need for the State Department to confer with the Panama government in regard to the trade between canal employés and merchants. The latter are steadily protesting against the maintenance of a commissary by the government, from which employés may obtain goods at cost, thus depriving them of certain trade.

Col. Goethals favors maintenance of the commissary.

FOR OAKLAND HARBOR.

Representative Knowland Will Introduce Bill in Anticipation of Improvements.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] It is stated authoritatively that while there will be no regular river and harbor appropriation bill this session the committee will report a bill authorizing a number of preliminary surveys on new projects.

In anticipation of this, Representative Knowland will introduce a bill providing for a resurvey of the Oakland Harbor for the improvements formerly recommended but not carried out.

FOR PUBLIC BUILDINGS.

KNOWLAND INTRODUCES BILLS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Representative Knowland has introduced bills providing appropriations of $200,000 each for the purchase of a site and the erection of a Federal building at Alameda and Berkeley.

It seems almost certain now that there will be an omnibus building bill reported by the House Committee.

TO WATCH REVOLUTION.

GUNBOATS GOING TO HAYTI.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—The only official news of the alleged attempted revolution in Hayti was received today from Lieutenant-Commander George Marvell, captain of the gunboat Eagle.

He reported from St. Marc, on the north coast of the island, that a party of revolutionists had landed there, that an engagement had followed with the government troops, that some of the combatants had been killed, but that no Americans were among the number. Apparently he did not attach much importance to the affair, because he left immediately with his ship for Guantanamo.

The gunboats Des Moines and Paducah, which are now off the Dominican coast, will, however, soon be sent to Haytian waters to observe the developments.

OFFICERS TO RETIRE.

FAIL IN RIDING TESTS.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—It has been announced at the War Department that the following officers of the army will be placed on the retired list because of disabilities incurred in the line of duty:

Lieut.-Col. John C. Muhlenberger, of the pay department, stationed at the Presidio, San Francisco.

Capt. Solomon P. Vestal, Ninth Cavalry, now in the general hospital at Fort Bayard, N. M.

Maj. Pierce M. B. Travis, Eleventh Infantry, now in the general hospital at Washington Barracks, Washington, D. C.

Capt. F. D. Krug, Twentieth Infantry, stationed at Honolulu.

These officers were included in the list of officers examined by the Davis retiring board in this city because of their failure to qualify for the riding test prescribed by President Roosevelt.

WASHINGTON BRIEFS.

Approved by President.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—President Roosevelt has approved the recommendation of the Isthmian Canal Commission, indorsed by Secretary Taft, increasing the width of the locks of the canal from 100 to 110 feet. The President simply approves the recommendation for the increase, but he makes no comment thereon.

Government Makes Reply.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—The reply of counsel for the government in the suit of George W. Austin to restrain the Secretary of the Treasury from issuing Panama Canal bonds was filed today in the Supreme Court of the district. On Monday the court will announce its decision.

Pillsbury Now Rear-Admiral.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Capt. John E. Pillsbury today took the oath of office as chief of the Bureau of Navigation in succession to Rear-Admiral Brownson. By virtue of his new office Capt. Pillsbury now has the rank and pay of rear-admiral.

Coast Map Get Laboratory.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] An appropriation of $200,000 is now available for the establishment of four pure food laboratories at various points in the United States. The location is not specified, but it is probable that at least one of these laboratories will be placed on the Pacific Coast.

Names Naval Academy Board.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—President Roosevelt today appointed the members of the board of visitors to the United States Naval Academy for 1908. Among them is G. D. Metcalf of Oakland.

House Passes Pension Bills.

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—After passing a large number of pension bills today the House of Representatives adjourned until Monday. The Penal Code bill was not taken up.

EXPENSIVE.

PEOPLE'S MONEY THROWN AWAY.

DENVER AUDITORIUM IS PROVING COSTLY AFFAIR.

Building Will Cost $575,000 Without Trimmings or Decorations Instead of $400,000 Voted by Taxpayers as Extreme Limit—Building Inspector Is Blamed.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

DENVER (Colo.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] About $175,000 of Denver taxpayers' money already thrown away by incompetent officials, and the total is likely to be swelled by a similar amount.

This is the charge made against Mayor Speer and City Building Inspector Willison, as a result of the announcement in this year's budget that this sum is required in addition to the amount originally voted before the auditorium can be finished. What may be required in addition to the sum fixed is problematic, for no provision has been made for the interior decoration of the building or for the defense of the suit that is to be instituted by Contractor Henry W. Schlueter of Chicago, and which may result in a verdict for a large amount against the city.

The taxpayers voted for a building to cost $400,000. Instead, it will cost $575,000, without trimmings, decorations or anything in its interior to relieve the appearance of a huge barn. Mayor Speer, when the vote was taken, gave every assurance that the amount was ample for all needs. Then he arranged that Willison should be architect for the building, draw the plans, supervise its construction, and see that the public got what it paid for. Willison started out by drawing plans for a building too big to fit the lot on which it was to stand, by five or six inches in length and four to five feet in width. These charges are made by some of the best builders in the United States, who have been called to look over the building and the plans.

Then the architect, according to the charges, proceeded to attempt a feat that every competent architect in the country declares most foolhardy—to put a flat roof on a big, open shell building of the size of the auditorium, instead of an arch roof.

It is also declared that he made most glaring errors in computing the tensile and supporting strength of the members of the various bents of this roof, and, had his plans been carried out, these were not strong enough to sustain their own weight, without any allowance for a reasonable factor of safety.

LOOKS GOOD FOR TAFT.

COLUMBUS (O.) Jan. 17.—With just half the counties of the State heard from, the management of the canvass for William H. Taft for Republican Presidential nominee, claims more than 500 delegates in the State convention, or far more than the control, have already been chosen in favor of Taft.

LABOR.

PINHEAD IDEA IS DISPLAYED.

"Whole Hog or None" Is the Rule at Seattle.

Unionites Object to Reduction for City Work.

Cry for Employment, but at High Wages.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SEATTLE (Wash.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The problem of the unemployed in Seattle is attracting the attention of the municipal authorities and civic bodies. A meeting was held today to devise ways and means of furnishing employment to the estimated ten thousand jobless men in the city.

To emphasize the needs of immediate action, unemployed men have organized to parade to the City Hall on Monday, when they will endeavor to obtain a hearing before Mayor Moore to lay their condition before him. It is their desire that the city give them employment on special improvement work.

The demonstration is already well organized and advices received today from Tacoma, Spokane, Bellingham and other cities on the Sound are that each will be represented in the parade.

The mass demonstration is to be held under the auspices of the Industrial Workers of the World. The leaders of organized labor, however, oppose any movement that has for its object the reduction of wages on municipal contracts, and there is sure to be a fight between organized labor and the unemployed on this point.

Park, sewer and street improvements are under way in Seattle to the extent of millions of dollars, and it is proposed to give the unemployed a chance to work for a living wage, but not a union wage, pending the time when they can find permanent employment.

PINHEADS EMPLOY PARKER.

TO FIGHT INJUNCTION CASE.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Alton B. Parker of New York has been retained as senior counsel for the American Federation of Labor in the case of the Buck Stove and Range Company of St. Louis against the federation, enjoining the representatives of the labor unions against boycotting and publishing in its "unfair" lists the names of business concerns the federation regards as "unfair" to its interests.

UNION SQUABBLES HEARD.

Santa Cruz Convention Spends Day Trying to Patch up Strife Among Members.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

SANTA CRUZ, Jan. 17.—This morning's session of the State Labor Council was given over to the thrashing out of grievances. In the contention between the hod carriers and the Brotherhood of Tile Setters in Sonoma county, it was decided that the trade jurisdiction, as set forth in the rules of the cement workers should prevail.

The request of the Alameda district council of carpenters for more brotherly treatment from the San Francisco carpenters was granted.

The appeal of the wood, wire and metal lathers and the housesmiths from the decision of the Committee on Appeals, was referred to President McCarthy for adjustment, but he declined to act, and suggested that the matter be settled by the convention.

A motion to refer it to the Executive Committee was defeated.

A motion to reaffirm the decision of the fifth annual convention, which would virtually mean a victory for the housesmiths, caused a long debate.

The wood, wire and metal lathers are championed by J. B. Bowen of Alameda and John Bett of San Francisco, while the housesmiths are represented by Eugene A. Clancey.

Santa Rosa secured the next convention by a handsome vote at the night session, which continued until after midnight.

The following officers were elected:

President—P. H. McCarthy.
Secretary-treasurer—O. A. Tveitmoe.
First vice-president—J. B. Bowen.
Second vice-president—T. Graham.
Third vice-president—M. G. Barnhardt.
Fourth vice-president—M. F. Connor.
Fifth vice-president—J. A. Gray.
Sixth vice-president—John Coefield.

CHRISTIAN SCIENCE.

FIGHT IS NOW ON FOR LEADERSHIP.

FACTIONS IN CHRISTIAN SCIENCE CHURCH AT WAR.

In Anticipation of Death of Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy, Friends of Mrs. August A. E. Stetson of New York Plan Her Elevation, but Move Is Vigorously Contested.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Secret preparations are being made to elevate Mrs. August A. E. Stetson of this city to the supreme leadership of the Christian Science Church.

The prime movers in the scheme are convinced that the venerable Mrs. Mary Baker G. Eddy is close to death.

Opposed to the Stetsonites are leading Scientists who know that the advancement of Mrs. Stetson would be more bitter to Mrs. Eddy than death itself.

Both factions are working desperately to make influential recruits. The services of Mrs. H. A. Bangs, Boston's noted Scientist, are in particular demand. She is one of the ablest politicians in the church and has been staying at the Hotel Martha Washington in this city for several days.

Mrs. Bangs's real business here was to consult with the leaders of both factions and to consider their propositions. On good authority it can be stated that the Stetsonites are outbidding their rivals. They are planning to bring Mrs. Bangs here and place her at the head of one of the Christian Science churches, either in Manhattan or Brooklyn. Indications are plentiful that Mrs. Eddy's death, an event which many are daily expecting, will be the signal for a clash that will shake the foundation of the Christian Science Church.

AMONG THE VERY RICH.

New York Tax Books Show Who Own Most Personal Property and Real Estate.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The tax books, or the "annual record of the assessed valuations of real and personal estate of the City of New York," have been opened.

President Purdy announced that the tentative increase of real estate assessments was $477,000,000 exclusive of special franchise assessments and the real estate of corporations. Some of the personal assessments are as follows:

Carnegie, Andrew	$5,000,000
Sage, M. E. (Mrs. Russell)	5,000,000
Rockefeller, John D.	2,500,000
Vanderbilt, Gladys	1,000,000
Vanderbilt, William K.	1,000,000
Vanderbilt, Alice G.	1,000,000
Morgan, J. Pierpont	400,000
Astor, John Jacob	300,000
Rockefeller, William	300,000
Rogers, Henry H.	250,000
Rockefeller, John D., Jr.	250,000
Vanderbilt, Frederick W.	250,000
Vanderbilt, Alfred G.	250,000
Bennett, James Gordon	200,000
Vanderbilt, Cornelius	150,000
Gould, George J.	150,000
Gerry, Elbridge T.	150,000

The figures of assessments of estates for 1908 included the following:

Vanderbilt, Cornelius	$6,000,000
Vanderbilt, William K.	6,000,000
Smith, James Henry	5,000,000
Rhinelander, William C.	5,000,000
Havemeyer, Henry O.	5,000,000
Whitney, William C.	5,000,000
Lewis, Mary	5,000,000
Brokaw, William V.	5,000,000
Taylor, George C.	3,000,000
Sloan, Samuel N.	3,000,000
Sage, Russell	2,250,000

NO LOVE LOST.

NO ROMANCE, SAYS MRS. METCALF.

WOMAN WHO SHOT AT ATTORNEY HAMILL TELLS STORY.

Declares She Never Loved the Lawyer and He Didn't Love Her. Ascribes Her Downfall to Disobedience of Her Mother When She Stole Jam as a Child.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Mrs. Thomas Metcalf, the woman who last Thursday evening fired three shots at Samuel R. Hamill, the attorney for John R. Walsh, today for the first time told the story of her wrongs.

The shooting was sensational, the woman entering the Federal building and trying to take the attorney's life while he was addressing the jury. Hamill denies that he ever knew the woman save as a client, and that he will prosecute her if she is not declared to be insane. This afternoon the woman made the following statement:

"I want to make this statement in reply to the false one issued by Mr. Hamill, and in view of the misrepresentations of my case in the newspapers. My story and relations with Mr. Hamill are spoken of as romantic, but rather than a romance, my affairs and Mr. Hamill's form a pathetic tragedy.

"The way in which I first met him was not as he has represented, and had nothing to do with my seeking possession of any part of an estate in St. Louis. I first met him six years ago in Terre Haute, Ind., where I went to his office regarding a threatened lawsuit against my present husband, Thomas Metcalf, to be brought by my former and divorced husband, Jeff B. Morris, who charged alienation of his wife's affections.

"I had been shamefully robbed of my beautiful boy child, Jeff B. Morris, Jr., and my troubles were many. All this fight has been a fight to repossess myself of my boy. I laid all the facts before Mr. Hamill, and he pointed out the way for me to obtain my child and redress, and promised that he would get me satisfaction."

"Is your attitude toward Mr. Hamill that of a 'woman scorned?' and did that furnish your motive for shooting at him?" she was asked.

"I would never admit that," she replied.

"Is your case that of a woman—her love turned to hate?"

"I never loved Mr. Hamill."

"Did he love you?"

"I do not think so," she said.

"What was your first mistake, Mrs. Metcalf, which was followed by these marital troubles and your present trouble?"

"Who can tell what one's first mistake was?" she said. "We make many. But I know mine," she added, "disobedience of my mother."

"Disobedience in entering into your first marriage?"

"No; in stealing jam and getting it all over my face and frock."

MANGLED BY TRAIN.

Supposed Brakebeam Tourist at Ventura Sustains Fatal Injuries. Silver Wedding Celebration.

VENTURA, Jan. 17.—John J. Rorke, supposed to be a brakebeam traveler, was mangled by a train last night and will die. Workmen found the man at Chestnut street. He was alive but his skull was fractured, his left arm ground to pieces and his ribs broken. An examination of the roadbed showed pieces of flesh scattered along for thirty feet.

Rorke regained consciousness, but would not talk about himself. Papers on his person showed he had been a soldier in the Philippines, had applied for a pension, was 32 years of age and that his mother, Mrs. M. J. Myolet, lives in Big Springs, Tex.

GET SILVER SERVICE.

The silver wedding of Mr. and Mrs. W. S. Lewis was celebrated last night at Masonic Hall by the Order of the Eastern Star. A banquet was served and speeches were made by D. J. Reese and others. Mr. and Mrs. Lewis were presented with a handsome silver table set.

The farmers living on the Santa Ana have organized a telephone company. T. V. Sturgis is president and O. A. Wadleigh secretary of the corporation, which is known as the Santa Ana Valley Telephone Company.

SAN DIEGO.

SAN DIEGO, Jan. 17.—For the theft of $11 from a Mexican named Cure, Rafael Amador has been sentenced to serve six years in the penitentiary at San Quentin. The stealing was done in the Cajon Valley.

The members of the City Council are discussing the proposition of installing a reinforced concrete vault in the light well of the City Hall, the estimated expense being $6000.

The British steamer Princess Ena, a powerful ocean tug, carrying twenty-six men, arrived here yesterday, seventy-seven days from Liverpool, for Vancouver, British Columbia. The steamer is owned by the Canadian Pacific.

CAPITAL GOSSIP.

SOCIETY BUSY IN WASHINGTON

President's Dinner to Diplomats Brilliant.

Interest in Ambassador's Trip to London.

English Woman's Gowns Stir the Fair Sex.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—The President's dinner Thursday evening in compliment to the diplomatic corps was one of the special and brilliant events of the winter. The table in the State dining-room was a dream of beauty with its splendid gold service, choice flowers and delicate lighting, while the whole house bore evidence of the festive occasion.

Through the main corridor where the United States Marine Band was stationed during the evening, the President led the procession of guests from the East room with the ranking lady, Baroness Mayor des Planches, of Italy, wife of the oldest Ambassador in point of service in Washington. Others followed as arranged with due reference to their rank, and the hostess brought up the rear, escorted by the Italian Ambassador.

Owing to the large number on the foreign list at present, there was no opportunity for padding the guest list and the only outsiders invited were chairmen of the House and Senate committees on Foreign Relations, and their wives, whose position carries with it the right to be invited to the most distinctive affairs given by the Chief Executive and his wife. It also brings them into close contact with the noted men of every country here represented and gives their wives a prestige among the women of the foreign coterie, which their colleagues do not enjoy. For this reason, it is the ambition of every woman in the Congressional circle to have her husband put on this important committee, hoping the while that he may attain the chief place and her name with his be accordingly placed high on the official social list. Progress on this line is necessarily slow for vacancies are only made by death or resignation, and failure to be reelected.

FAREWELL FOR SOME.

Brilliant as was the company and delectable the dinner, the occasion was not without its note of sadness, for the exigencies of official life were very soon to bring parting with friends who may never meet again, so far apart may their future lines be cast. The first to leave town were the Mexican Ambassador and Mme. Creel, who leave today for a three months' stay in Mexico, where the former is Governor of the province of Chihuahua.

The Russian Ambassador has not yet announced the date of his departure though he is making preparations to join Baroness Rosen and their daughter, who have been in St. Petersburg since November. The Netherlands Minister and Mme. Van Swinderen, the latter, formerly Miss Grace Glover of Washington, expect to sail for The Hague, January 29, for an indefinite stay, and like the Mexican Ambassador, and Mme. Creel, have been much entertained during the week.

The Salvadorean and Honduran Ministers, are also starting on leaves of absence, while the latest news from Stockholm says the Swedish Minister and Mme. Lagercrantz, who expected to return this month in order to give their débutante daughter a taste of official life here before the end of the season, have been delayed and will not reach Washington until some time in March.

CUBANS ARE POPULAR.

On the other hand, the Cuban Minister and Mme. Quesada will open their new legation on Massachusetts avenue within a fortnight and the event is sure to be marked by interesting social events, for the latter is a born hostess and very popular in the various circles of society at the capital. She is a truly-true American though devoted to the island home of her ancestors, and the native land of her husband. Frequent trips abroad have increased her cosmopolitanism and given her a broad acquaintance in old-world capitals. The past summer was passed near The Hague, where Señor Quesada represented the Cuban government at the peace conference.

These comings and goings are understandable, but what means the special trip to London of the British Ambassador, announcement of whose departure, at the height of the season, came as a great surprise and caused officialdom to pause in social activity long enough to try and fathom the reasons therefor. Of course the general opinion is that it concerns various matters affecting Anglo-American and Japanese relations, and the desire of his home government to consult him on the American point of view. However, it assumed added importance coming upon the very heels of Ambassador Jusserand's effort to suppress in the French newspapers all stories attributing a warlike motive to the dispatch of the Atlantic fleet to the Pacific.

In navy circles a counterbalancing influence was brought by the news of the fleet's safe arrival in the harbor of Rio de Janeiro, and the heart of many an officer's wife and daughter beat with renewed hope of the peaceful result to the perilous journey around the Horn.

MRS. GLYN IS THERE.

Mrs. Elinor Glyn, the much-advertised author of "Three Weeks," added piquancy to the social doings at the capital, where she is staying for a fortnight with her sister, the equally well-known Lady Duff Gordon, or "Lucile" of sartorial fame. While here, Mrs. Glyn is being entertained at the British Embassy and other prominent homes, and is holding little levees of her own which are attended by United States Senators, Supreme Court Judges, and other distinguished men, as well as women. Indeed, Washington has not been so much excited over a book and its author since the appearance of Mrs. Hérbert Parsons "Views on Matrimony," a little more than a year ago.

Just here it may be interesting to note that Mrs. Parsons, though one of the richest women in society, is making all her official calls on foot, and wears a dress of walking length, for the purpose, while others of her set, gowned in trailing robes that are more conventional than comfortable, are perforce by them obliged to drive from place to place, and thus lose a fine opportunity to keep down the dreaded increase of avoirdupois. She is a sprightly little woman and rather breezy compared with other fashionable New Yorkers; a thorough good mother of two bright little Parsonses, and a capable private secretary to her husband, who is chairman of the New York Republican County Committee, as well as member of Congress.

Mrs. Cobden Sanderson, the most talked-of woman of two continents because of her zeal in the interest of woman's suffrage, was recently accompanied to Washington by Miss Louie Stacy, a charming English woman noted for the beauty and grace of her gowns, which are one and all made without hooks and eyes. Miss Stacy discarded these supposed necessary evils along with corsets, several years ago, because she said "life was too short to waste fastening them." How to get along without them was a question, as she went to Sheba, not the queen of days gone by, but a London tailor, who glories in making things just a little different from anyone else, and the slip-on-over-the-head dress, is the result. This model, capable of many changes, and much elaboration, is graceful and comfortable enough to win admiration from the women of Washington who saw it worn by the lady in question, but not one of them has thus far expressed a wish for even Miss Stacy's most gorgeous creation. The fair owner of these new-style gowns was invited here, there and everywhere, and always wore a dress suitable to the occasion. She is on her second trip around the world, and after visiting the large cities, en route to the West, will sail from San Francisco for the Orient.

Washington, not limiting its interesting visitors to the fair sex, has been entertaining within the week Sir Edgar Vincent of London, and Count Apponyi of Vienna, who is in this country to attend the Szechenyi-Vanderbilt wedding. Two former Governors, Hon. C. J. Bell of Vermont, and Hon. N. J. Bachelor of New Hampshire, have also been here. The latter is master of the National Grange, or Patrons of Husbandry, a farmers' organization with a larger membership than any other agricultural society in the country. Messrs. Bell and Bachelor are here to assist their colleagues in urging Congress to legislate for postal savings banks, parcels post and improved highways.

OFFICIAL DINNERS.

President and Mrs. Roosevelt began their round of the Cabinet homes as dinner guests of honor on Tuesday, when their hosts were the Secretary of State and Mrs. Root, whose home on Rhode Island avenue is already famous for the distinguished companies assembled within its walls. The table for the President's dinner was set in the large dining-room, where on New Year's Day representatives of every civilized country exchanged greetings and broke bread with the Cabinet premier and his wife. Next week it will be Mr. Cortelyou's turn to kill the fatted calf and put a gold ring on the social finger of his chief, and the Tuesday following, Atty.-Gen. and Mrs. Bonaparte will be his hosts, as Mr. Taft, who would ordinarily come next in the course of official dinner-givers, is in mourning for his mother, and therefore exempt from present entertaining.

This week of great activity closed with the third brilliant evening reception of the season at the Austrian Embassy. Tyrolean music rendered by natives, stationed behind a great screen of palms and poinsettia blossoms, was a feature of the evening. Baroness Hengelmueller, the handsome wife of the Ambassador, was assisted in receiving by her house guests, Mrs. Edmund Hubbard and Miss Oelrichs of New York. She wore one of the most elegant toilettes seen here this winter; it was of yellow satin heavily embroidered and trimmed with old lace. With this she wore wonderful diamonds and emeralds.

Bear and Marksmanship.

A rather severe but unexpected blow at the advocates of total abstinence from alcoholic beverages has been struck by the Bavarian War Ministry, which has issued a report showing that independent rifle shooting soldiers become better marksmen after imbibing a small quantity of alcohol than before. Experiments involving the discharge of 10,000 shots have been carried out at the ranges of the Augsburg Shoot of Musketry. Throughout the experiments men who had been served with a draught of spirituous liquor displayed more steadiness and accuracy of aim, while firing singly, than did those belonging to the squad which had been kept without it.

The Wrong Head.

Two natives of Dublin met at Donnybrook Fair and there was the usual exchange of philileah compliments, and the skull of one was smashed. At the trial of the victorious youth, a surgeon testified that the victim's temporal bone was as thin almost as an eggshell. Nevertheless, O'Sullivan was convicted of homicide, and when asked if he had anything to say before sentence, he simply remarked to the judge: "Yer honor, I'm sorry about this thing, but you heard what the doctor said about the unfortunate young man, an' I leave it to yer honor, now, if that was any kind of a head to go to a fair with in Ireland."

The Khedive's Daughter.

The eldest child of the Khedive of Egypt, Princess Emina, now in her thirteenth year, is deaf and dumb and afflicted with a spinal complaint which makes it impossible for her to walk without support. She is a beautiful girl, and as the Egyptian climate is considered too relaxing for her, she lives in the lovely island of Rhodes, where the Khedive has great estates. She occupies a beautiful palace surrounded by every luxury and is visited several times during the year by her parents. Her mother was originally a slave in the Khedive's palace.—[London Chronicle.

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WORSE AND WORSE.

SCHOOLGIRLS HIS VICTIMS.

More Evidence Is Given of Snell's Meanness.

Millionaire Sent Money to Mere Children.

Boasted of Fortune Made by Dishonest Methods.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

CLINTON (Ill.) Jan. 17.—[Special Dispatch.] That Millionaire Thomas Snell constantly sent sums of money to a host of young girls was a development of the testimony in the Snell will case this afternoon that made the blood of the spectators who crowded the courtroom to boil with indignation.

This information came out in the evidence of Richard Butler, formerly postmaster at Clinton, now American Consul at Hamilton, Can.

"Col. Snell constantly kept a box in the postoffice when I was postmaster, and he had all of his mail, especially letters of a personal nature, placed in it," said Mr. Butler.

"Did Col. Snell provide postage for any one else?" asked the counsel.

"Yes, there were three schools that had private boxes and which were used for by Col. Snell."

"Did Col. Snell write letters to the girls?"

"Yes, sometimes as often as once a week."

"Did the girls ever write to Col. Snell?"

"Yes."

"What were the names of the girls?"

Before the witness could answer the question, Judge Cochran told him that he would not be required to tell the names of the girls, who had learned this afternoon, had grown into womanhood and had excellent reputations. Tense silence reigned in the courtroom during the examination of this witness, the spectators being busily intent upon the answers of every choice bit of scandal.

Mr. Butler testified that he knew Col. Snell would go into the postoffice and get a $20 bills hanged in envelopes. These he would take to a desk in the office and place in envelopes addressed to the schoolgirls who at that time were in his favor. Sometimes the millionaire would inclose but one of the bills. The price that he paid for the hundreds of dollars the millionaire is known to have sent upon them can be only conjectured.

Another witness testified that the millionaire once said to him:

"The only way to handle young people is to gain them. I have accumulated $3,000,000, and ever one made that way. If I had given a cent dollar I would burn it up."

This afternoon Judge Cochran adjourned the court until Monday on account of an attack of indigestion. A collection of letters in Col. Snell's possession at his death, the majority of which were written by young schoolgirls, were not introduced in evidence today, because of the sudden adjournment.

ON WAY TO LOS ANGELES.

Ex-Gov. Boies of Iowa, Who Has Been Ill With Pneumonia in Texas, Resumes Journey.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS.]

EL PASO (Tex.) Jan. 17.—Horace Boies of Iowa has completely recovered from an attack of pneumonia from which he has been suffering for the past two weeks, and accompanied by his private secretary, Dunn, left today for Los Angeles where he will spend the winter.

TEA
You think one tea is as good as another?
Why don't you buy the lowest price you see in the window?
Your grocer returns your money if you don't like Schilling's Best; we pay him.

UNUSUAL SALE DIAMOND JEWELRY
I'm crowded for cash. To raise it I am selling my fine diamond jewelry at great reductions. Be quick if you want to profit by these prices.
$160 Princess Diamond Ring $122.50.
$263 Diamond Ring $230.
$310 Diamond Brooch $268.75.
$260 Crescent Diamond Brooch $197.50.
J. ABRAMSON
Jeweler and Diamond Expert
404 South Broadway

Fill the Tank
with gasolene if you want the motor-car to go. The oil supplies the power that makes the wheels turn round.
The human machine is set in motion in the same way by
Scott's Emulsion
Folks are like motor-cars. At times they get run down. SCOTT'S EMULSION is full of power. It not only produces flesh but gives new power to weak bodies.
All Druggists; 50c. and $1.00.

Japanese Bazaar
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THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
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UNUSUAL SALE
DIAMOND
JEWELRY
I'm crowded for cash. To
raise it I am selling my
diamond jewelry at great
reductions. Be quick if
you want to profit by
these prices.
Princess Diamond
Ring $132.50.
Diamond Baguette
Ring $220.
Diamond Brooch
$168.75.
Crescent Diamond
Brooch $167.50.
J. ABRAMSON
Jeweler and Silversmith
404 South Broadway

RAILROAD RECORD.

PULLMAN PAYS BIG DIVIDEND.

Average of Twenty Per Cent. for Forty Years.

In Addition, Property Value Greatly Increases.

Usual Juicy Melon Will Soon Be Passed Around.

BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The directors of the Pullman company meet the latter part of this month to take action on the dividend. An officer of the company says that the regular dividend will be declared.

The Pullman company has a dividend-paying record that would be hard to rival among American industrial companies, having paid dividends for nearly forty years, in addition to making disbursements occasionally. The Pullman company was incorporated in 1867, with a capital of $1,000,000. During the next thirty years the business increased until it represented in actual investment of $36,000,000, which has yielded annually from 8 per cent. to 20 per cent. to the owners in the form of dividends.

In 1895, in addition to the regular dividend of 8 per cent., the company distributed out of earnings and accumulated surplus, $20 per share, which was one-fifth of the money invested in the business by them. During the last ten years no more money has been put into the company, and the stockholders have enjoyed dividends of $51,000,000 on their investment of $28,000,000, which makes an average annual return of approximately 20 per cent. or 2 per cent.

In addition to this cash return the company have accumulated and built up property reported by the company in its report to possess net assets of $150,000,000, but, as a matter of fact, is worth more than $150,000,000, or more than five times the amount actually invested.

TARIFF ORDERED CUT.

INTERSTATE COMMISSION ACTS.
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
NASHVILLE (Tenn.) Jan. 17.—The Tennessee Railroad Commission today formally adopted a resolution ordering all railroads in the State to put in effect a two-and-a-half-cent flat passenger rate on April 1 next.

Bible Fully Subscribed for.

NEW HAVEN (Ct.) Jan. 17.—The Consolidated, New Haven and Hartford Railroad's new loan of $30,000,000, 6 per cent convertible debentures, has been fully subscribed for.

HYPNOTISM.

HEALER'S" VICTIM SHE DECLARES.

HER MIND WAS BLANK WHEN SHE MARRIED.

Cleaver Sues for Annulment of Marriage to "Professor" Who Hypnotized Her and Who Had a Husband Living.

[DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] That persons of sympathetic and impressionable natures, if they should avoid "Divine healers," was the inference to be gathered from testimony told by Mrs. Ida Cleaver, of this city, but formerly of Philadelphia, also Mrs. Ida Proudfoot of this city, who brings suit for annulment of the more recent of her two marriages.

Cleaver-Proudfoot is comely and Mrs. Ida is of the advanced-thought school. "In the complaint it is alleged that the plaintiff is of a sympathetic and impressionable nature and that on January 1, 1907, met the defendant, James Proudfoot, in Los Angeles, where he was and still is engaged in practicing his profession of healer," that she became completely under his influence, and subject to his every wish, and that while in a hypnotic condition, when her mind was a blank as to her part, she went through the marriage ceremony with the defendant in the city of Los Angeles on January 1, 1907.

Two weeks later she came out of the hypnotic state, she claims at the time of the fantastic marriage she was the lawful wife of William Cleaver of Philadelphia, but had left her husband.

Proudfoot is alleged to have resided at No. 214 Tremont street, Los Angeles.

BANK TO REOPEN BANK.

Directors Will Ask Court Today to Allow Knickerbocker Trust Company to Resume Business.

[DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Satterlee Reorganization Committee will go before Justice Lambert armed with the assent of more than 57½ per cent. of the stock of the Knickerbocker Trust company and ask for an order allowing the institution to reopen its doors. The petition will state that the wishes of persons representing $25,000,000 of the $41,000,000 stock of the Knickerbocker Trust company.

The report of the court proceedings Reorganization Committee will be made by the man who has been chosen to act as president of the reorganized institution. In the event of a definite acceptance or declination by Secretary of the Treasury Shaw, up to a late hour this afternoon, the place was held open for Charles Spencer, at present president of a large New York trust company, is willing to take the place, but Carteryou declines. The plan of reorganization will be put through without any opposition developing.

KNIGHTS OF THE ROW KNIGHTS.

Emperor William Invests Several Notables With the Order of the Black Eagle.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
BERLIN, Jan. 17.—Emperor William, as head of the Prussian Order of the Black Eagle, presided today at the investitures of new members. These were Duke Ernst Gunther of Schleswig-Holstein, Gen. Baron von Lyncker, commander of the army corps at Koenigsburg; Admiral Von Tirpitz, secretary of the admiralty; Baron Von Rheinbaben, Prussian Minister of State and Finance; Baron Marschall von Bieberstein, who represented Germany at the second Hague peace conference, and Gen. Von Stuenzener.

The ceremonial took place in the chapel of the order at Berlin. The walls of this chapel are emblazoned with the arms of living knights of the order, among whom were most of the sovereigns of Europe.

Among those in attendance today were five princes of the house of Hohenzollern and the rulers of several minor German States. Each new knight who knelt in turn before the Emperor was struck three times lightly across the back with the sword in the hand of His Majesty, who, at the same time, pronounced him a Knight of the Order.

When this ceremony is bestowed upon a commoner, it carries with it hereditary nobility. The men invested today are all of noble birth.

Baron Marshall Von Bieberstein, who is regarded as a probable successor to the Imperial Chancellor Von Buelow, had not been here since the Hague conference until today.

FINANCIAL NEGLIGENCE.

BANKER WALKER FREED BY COURT.

EMBEZZLEMENT CHARGE IS DISMISSED BY PROSECUTOR.

Aged President of Defunct California Safe Deposit and Trust Company Held not Criminally Responsible for Disappearance of the Colton Estate Securities.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—Upon motion of Asst. Dist.-Attorney William Hoff Cook, Superior Judge Dunne this morning dismissed the charge of embezzlement against David F. Walker, former president of the wrecked California Safe Deposit and Trust Company, in connection with the disappearance from the bank of the Colton estate securities, valued at $205,000.

Addressing the court, the Assistant District Attorney stated that after a thorough investigation of the charge, it was found that there was no evidence showing a criminal act on the part of Walker, adding, however, "that there was criminal culpability in failing to investigate the affairs of the bank and take action upon learning of the loss of the securities, is undoubted."

The latter statement brought about a clash with W. H. Chickering, attorney for Walker, who was not satisfied with the dismissal of the criminal charge against his client with this reflection upon him by the District Attorney.

"Mr. Cook has imputed to Mr. Walker more than did the complainant, Crittendon Thornton, attorney for the Colton estate," said Chickering.

CLASH OF COUNSEL.

"Mr. Thornton stated to me there was nothing to show that Walker was criminally negligent."

"I don't care what Mr. Thornton says or thinks," retorted Cook, "I don't agree with him. Walker was not the kind of man to be president of this bank or of any other bank. There can be no question of his criminal culpability when he did not know of the condition of the bank, and failed to make an investigation when he learned of the disappearance of the securities."

"The District Attorney is wrong, Mr. Walker did not know of their disappearance," said Chickering.

"I am not wrong, Mr. Walker himself so stated to me," replied Cook.

HAS SWORN ADMISSION.

Chickering insisted that Cook was mistaken. The latter retorted sharply, "You don't know anything about it, you were not present. We have Mr. Walker's sworn testimony to that fact. While he is not criminally liable, believing as we do that J. Dalzell Brown and Walter J. Bartnett, general manager and vice-president respectively, took the securities and converted them into money, I insist that it showed criminal negligence on the part of Walker. I move to dismiss the charge."

This was done by Judge Dunne.

This action of the District Attorney was predicted when President Walker made a voluntary statement regarding the affairs of the bank, and afterward testified against Bartnett and Brown before the grand jury.

SOVEREIGN BANK SUSPENDS.

Big Financial Institution of Canada to Liquidate, but Depositors Are Protected.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
TORONTO (Ont.) Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The Sovereign Bank of Canada will go into liquidation at once.

The Canadian Bankers' Association will stand behind the Sovereign to insure the depositors against loss and make the loss to shareholders as small as possible.

The bank will open tomorrow morning under the direction of the Canadian Bankers' Association. All outside branches of the Sovereign will be under the direction of banks in their own towns having membership in the association. The bank was tided over in a difficulty some time ago by the Morgan banking interests and the Bank of Germany.

The Sovereign was organized in 1897 with $4,000,000 capital, nearly all paid up. It is believed that its business will eventually pass to the Canadian Bank of Commerce. The bank has seventy-six branches in Ontario, Quebec, the northwest and the maritime provinces.

RESOURCES SHRINK.

BAY CITY COMMERCIAL BANKS.
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—The San Francisco commercial banks have submitted statements to the Bank Commissioners showing their financial condition at the close of business December 28, 1907.

The forty local commercial banks, including city branches show total resources on that date of $130,631,194, an apparent shrinkage of $30,416,274 since the last statement, dated July 31, 1907.

On that date the totals included the resources reported by the California Safe Deposit and Trust Company, with its four branches, which were given at $12,393,180, and of the Citizens' State Bank, with resources of $198,315, or a total of $12,591,496.

SCRIP DISAPPEARING.

CANCELED BY BAY CITY BANKS.
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—Clearinghouse certificates are being redeemed at the rate of $300,000 a day, and at the present pace, the paper practically will have disappeared from circulation before February 1.

Every day the local banks send the certificates that come in from depositors to the clearinghouse, where they are canceled and withdrawn from circulation.

The total issue of clearinghouse certificates amounted to $7,100,000. Up to yesterday evening about $4,600,000 worth of the paper had been canceled, leaving $2,500,000 still out.

A SURGICAL OPERATION

If there is any one thing that a woman dreads more than another it is a surgical operation.

We can state without fear of a contradiction that there are hundreds, yes, thousands, of operations performed upon women in our hospitals which are entirely unnecessary and many have been avoided by

LYDIA E. PINKHAM'S VEGETABLE COMPOUND

For proof of this statement read the following letters.

Mrs. Barbara Base, of Kingman, Kansas, writes to Mrs. Pinkham:

"For eight years I suffered from the most severe form of female troubles and was told that an operation was my only hope of recovery. I wrote Mrs. Pinkham for advice, and took Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and it has saved my life and made me a well woman."

Mrs. Arthur R. House, of Church Road, Moorestown, N. J., writes:

"I feel it is my duty to let people know what Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound has done for me. I suffered from female troubles, and last March my physician decided that an operation was necessary. My husband objected, and urged me to try Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, and to-day I am well and strong."

FACTS FOR SICK WOMEN.

For thirty years Lydia E. Pinkham's Vegetable Compound, made from roots and herbs, has been the standard remedy for female ills, and has positively cured thousands of women who have been troubled with displacements, inflammation, ulceration, fibroid tumors, irregularities, periodic pains, and backache.

Mrs. Pinkham invites all sick women to write her for advice. She has guided thousands to health. Address, Lynn, Mass.

THE NAVY.

TORPEDO FLEET ARRIVES AT RIO.

JOINS BATTLESHIPS AT BRAZILIAN PORT.

Next Tuesday Little Warships Will Start for Buenos Ayres—Brazilian Naval Officers Give Party in Honor of the American Visitors in the Botanical Gardens.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]
RIO DE JANEIRO, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] The torpedoboat destroyers Whipple, Hull, Hopkins, Lawrence and Truxton, composing the flotilla attached to the American battleship fleet, arrived here this afternoon from Pernambuco, which port they left last Monday.

Rough weather was experienced on the passage, which was otherwise uneventful. The accident to Midshipman Roberts of the Hopkins, which resulted in the breaking of one of his legs, occurred during the ceremonies attendant upon crossing the equator, when King Neptune boarded the vessels of the flotilla and put those who never crossed the line before through the same rough initiation that was followed later on board the battleships.

The propeller of the Hopkins is damaged, and she will go in dry dock tomorrow to effect repairs. The supply ship Arethusa did not arrive with the flotilla, but she is expected to reach here tomorrow.

The stay of the destroyers here will be short, as their orders are to sail for Buenos Ayres next Tuesday, to which port they will proceed on the invitation of the Argentine government. It was the original intention that they should call at Montevideo, but this plan has been changed.

The original itinerary of the battleship fleet provided that it should leave Rio de Janeiro January 21, next Tuesday, but as it was a day late in getting here, it will not depart until the following day. Prior to its sailing on that day the President of Brazil will visit the Connecticut, Rear-Admiral Evans's flagship. Subsequently he will go to one of the forts guarding the harbor whence he will watch the departure of the fleet on its journey to Punta Arenas, the third lap, 2228 miles, on its long voyage to the Pacific.

The principal function today was a party given by the Brazilian naval officers in honor of the Americans in the Botanical Gardens. There were thousands of guests, and the affair was much enjoyed.

The medical officers of the fleet visited the naval hospitals, with which they expressed themselves as much pleased.

There will be a two-mile dingy race tomorrow over a two-mile course, the contestants being gunners' mates from the battleships. It is expected that the event will attract a large number of native spectators.

The court-martial which tried Paymaster William H. Doherty, who was accused of overstaying his leave of absence, has acquitted him, and he has been restored to duty.

TO GAIN POINTERS.

GERMANS WATCH FLEET.
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
BERLIN, Jan. 17.—Orders have been issued to the German cruiser Bremen, now at Rio Janeiro, to remain at that port until January 21, the date when the American battleship fleet under Rear-Admiral Evans sails for Punta Arenas.

The object of this order evidently is to lengthen the period of time in which the officers of the Bremen will observe the fleet and gather material for technical reports.

FOOD FOR THE FLEET.

Immense Quantities of Provisions Are Ordered Purchased and Sent to Mare Island.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Authority has been given by the Navy Department for the purchase of immense quantities of provisions to be delivered at Mare Island, in anticipation of the arrival of the battleship fleet in San Francisco.

These include the same line of supplies as purchased for the use of the fleet on its cruise around Cape Horn.

WIRELESS FOR RELIEF.

SURGEON STOKES AT WORK.
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]
VALLEJO, Jan. 17.—Orders have been received at the Mare Island navy yards for the installation of a wireless telegraph outfit aboard the hospital ship Relief. The work will be rushed, as the vessel is to be commissioned February 1.

Surgeon Charles F. Stokes, her commander, who has reported at Mare Island, is superintending the preparations and commissioning of the vessel.

She will leave at the earliest practicable date for southern waters to meet the battleship fleet.

TO LAY MINES.

THREE VESSELS SELECTED.
[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
WASHINGTON, Jan. 17.—Secretary Metcalf has called for estimates for the conversion of the San Francisco, Baltimore and Paul Jones as mine-laying vessels.

It is realized that there will be great need of these ships in time of war, and it is thought advantageous to fit them out without delay.

Special authority will be required from Congress to do the work, because the estimate is above the list of 20 per cent. allowed by law.

OBITUARY.

James Throop.

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—James Throop, a well-known educator, for many years connected with the schools of Sonoma county, died yesterday at his home in Alameda, aged 85 years. He was the author of a number of text-books.

Archduke Ferdinand.

SALESBURG (Austria) Jan. 17.—Archduke Ferdinand, fourth Grand Duke of Tuscany, died here today. He was the father of Countess Lontigneoso, formerly Princess Louise, and the divorced wife of the Present King of Saxony, and who last year was married to Signor Toselli, a musician.

MAY FAVOR MULAI.

Possibility That France Will Discover She Has Been Backing Wrong Horse in Morocco.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]
PARIS, Jan. 17.—Premier Clemenceau, Foreign Minister Pinchon and Sir Henry Campbell-Bannerman, the British Premier, who passed through the French capital on his way from Biarritz to London recently, had a long conference regarding the situation in Morocco, the result of which has not been made public.

In the face of growing fanaticism of the Moors in favor of Mulai Hafid, the position of France in Morocco is difficult. Apprehensions are cropping up that perhaps France may have been backing the wrong horse, and that it would be better to accept Mulai Hafid if he does not repudiate the Algeciras act. Should Mulai Hafid execute his threat and go to Casa Blanca to fight the French, Gen. D'Amade would take the defensive, but attacked, France, might be compelled not only to defend herself, but, as the mandatory of Europe, to attack the Moors. Such a contingency might force the French government to appeal to the signatories of the Algeciras pact for an extension of her power.

Spain will fulfill her share of the duties in the matter of policing the ports of Morocco, but she will not go further.

CENTEMERIE $1.75 KID GLOVES 98c.
A limited quantity; mostly all colors, all sizes, perfect condition. Saturday's price, 98c, aisle 2.

THE BROADWAY—HEADQUARTERS FOR SILKS AND DRESS GOODS
BOTH PHONES EXCHANGE 307
The Broadway Department Store
Broadway, Cor. 4th.—Los Angeles
Arthur Letts

VIOLETS 100 BUNCHES 10 to 4 P. M., 5c.
Large bunches of fragrant violets, 3 to 4 o'clock, on the table in front of aisle 5, at 5c a bunch.

Pay Actual Cost Price for 65 New Long Coats

Orders Misinterpreted, That's Why

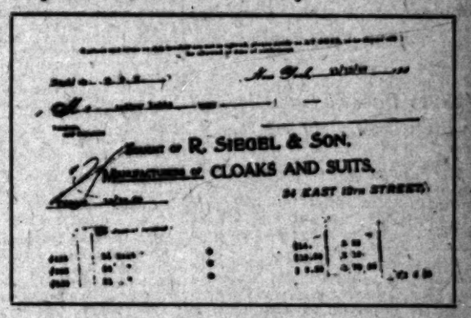
Look at the invoice that we have reproduced on the right. It gives you the actual cost price of 65 coats. We've been holding them some two weeks pending a readjustment.

It was a mistake in the order. They should not have come to us. We refused to accept them unless a liberal concession was made. We set a price that we would pay and after much communication a compromise was made, they taking a loss rather than pay return freight.

It enables us to pass them on to you at actual wholesale prices, as shown by the invoice.

Just three lots, just three prices. Be on hand early to share in great trade event.

Understand, the maker is standing the loss.



No. 580—Tailored Coat SEMI-FITTING BACK..... $8.50
Double breasted styles in covert cloth, strap seams, patch pockets, turned back cuffs, full length, half satin lined. Don't miss this bargain.

No. 583—7-8 Length Coat STRICTLY TAILORED..... $10.50
Just 20 of these, tight fitting; covert cloth, beautiful lines. You'll recognize the wonderful value as soon as you see them. Come early, price $10.50.

No. 525—Chiffon Broadcloth—7-8 Length Coat $14.00
Think of a beautiful chiffon broadcloth coat, strictly tailored, ¾ length, tight fitting, lined throughout with satin; here in blue, black and brown; 21 of them; as long as they last, $14 each; 2nd floor.

Coing to the Demonstration of Pure Foods?

That's something to think and act upon. Booths everywhere in the grocery department, and free samples at every booth!

3 BARS FELS NAPTHA SOAP FROM 8 TO 9. LIMIT 3..... 10c

Lb. Comb Honey	10c	Lb. Ham Boiled	30c
2 lbs. Fancy Creamery Butter	62c	5 lbs. Coffee in Dinner Pails	$1.25
Lb. Fancy Eastern Cheese	21c	Lemons Dozen	10c
Pound Heinz Mince Meat	20c	Dozen Oranges the Sweet Kind	15c
Gallon Ripe Olives	35c	3 Cans Sardines Norway Smoked	25c
Quart Mammoth Ripe Olives	35c	Jar Citron Preserved	60c
1 lb. Sugar Free with ½ lb. Tetley's Tea	35c	Bottle Country Club Salad Dressing	44c

Men's $1.25 Underwear 89c

Heavy Flat Wool

An item to head the list of January Clearance of underwear; both shirts and drawers; sold most everywhere at $1.25; camel's hair color; all sizes; aisle 7, Saturday, 89c.

Men's $1.00 Underwear 69c
Shirts only, natural gray, flat weave, heavy for winter wear; heavy $1 garments 69c each; aisle 7.

WOMEN'S 50c VESTS 39c
A big value at 50c; white jersey ribbed; fleece lined, high neck, long sleeves; all regular sizes; Saturday, aisle 6, 39c.

Men's 75c Merino Underwear 59c
Natural colors, shirts and drawers, medium weight, will not shrink; 75c values at 59c; aisle 7.

WOMEN'S 25c VESTS 19c
We make a big special of them at 25c; ecru color, jersey ribbed; same garments in white sell at 35c in other stores; sale price Saturday, 19c.

Women's 50c Vests 39c

Right out of regular stock, plain white, jersey ribbed, fleece lined, also cream color, in out sizes, high neck and long sleeves; sale price 39c.

Ribbons Values to 25c.. 12½c
A clean-up of several lines in taffeta satin ribbons; lines that have sold in the regular way up to 25c; widths up to No. 60; all colors, Saturday clearance, aisle 1, 12½c yard.

Women's Collars 10c and 25c Values 2c
Turnovers, stocks, lawn tabs and beaded jet collars; some are soiled, others are perfect; they're worth 10c, 15c and 25c in the regular way. Saturday clearance, aisle 2, 2c.

Spachtel Linens Values to 75c..... 39c

$1.00 Gowns Embroidery Yokes 69c
Splendid $1 gowns with embroidery yokes and ribbon beading, others trimmed with lace insertion on yoke and collar; big $1 values; 69c Saturday.

$1.25 Skirts Deep Flounce.. 75c
They're trimmed with three rows of val. lace and edging; also wide embroidery skirts actually worth $1.25. Saturday's price 75c.

35c Outing Short Skirts..... 25c

White Waists 75c and $1 Values 49c
10 dozen white lawn waists for a Saturday flyer. Prettily made with tucks, embroidery and lace front. Styles that open front and back; ¾ and long sleeves; they're worth 75c and $1; while they last Saturday morning, 49c each.

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Good quality seersucker gingham petticoats; very full, double flounce and under ruffles; 75c quality at 49c. Second floor.

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SPORTING NEWS, LOCAL AND TELEGRAPHIC.

GOES TO WASTE.

RACES EAT UP SUCKER MONEY.

No Legitimate Return Given for Coin Expended.

Bookmakers Are Parasites Living Off Public.

Judges Blamed for Allowing Dwyer's Poor Start.

The "sport of kings" netted the Santa Anita bookmakers two or three Kings' ransoms, yesterday. If it were not for the pathetic afterthought of the distress of the wives and children who will suffer for the money the foolish bettors lost to the bookies, the spectacle of seeing them separated from their money would have been laughably ludicrous, so easily was it accomplished.

Five beaten favorites out of the six and that lone one, known as Diamond, an odds-on shot, though beaten last time out, two days previous by a similar lot of dogs. Naturally the "talent" would not bet on Diamond yesterday. So, in all verity, it may be said, the bookmakers kept all the dollars which the suckers played yesterday and the aggregate of these dollars would run far into the thousands.

Considering for a moment that each of the twenty-two regular bookmakers at Santa Anita is at an expense of $200 a day for his book, an aggregate of $4400; that the 1200 horses at the track must be fed; that 2000 men and boys, owners, jockeys, trainers, stable boys, wipers, valets, etc., must live off the game, the wayfaring man who pauses to think and compute a moment, is able to see the enormous revenue which horse race gambling must derive from the public which patronizes it.

Why wonder, then, that the bookmakers got the money at Arcadia yesterday and the day before and the days before that? That is their business—to get the public's money. They may be depended upon to do it today and Monday, Tuesday and all the days to come. The sport of Kings is an expensive sport which fattens and battens off that community which tolerates it.

That some of the bettors who go to Santa Anita daily are taking a tumble to the things that are being done to them was mildly evidenced when Starter Dick Dwyer was hissed before the grandstand after the start in the fifth race yesterday. There were also cries of "Take him away!" and "He's rotten." It has been pointed out before that Dwyer's starting is inexcusably bad. Every man and woman who goes to Arcadia to bet on the races knows it. Dwyer must know it himself. But Presiding Judge Hamilton and his associates, who are supposed to see and know everything that is going on at the race course, seem to be ignorant of Dwyer's incompetence—or indifferent thereto, despite receiving $50 a day each to conduct the sport intelligently and fairly.

EXECRABLE STARTING.

If there is one thing above all others which can make horse racing a farce and a scandal in any community it is incompetent or dishonest work on the part of the starter. Jockies may "pull" or "mess" their mounts sometimes; owners may "take" their entries sometimes (which means send them to the races unfit or not trying to win;) bookmakers may mislead the public with false odds; but all these things count as nothing in the scale of fair play as against the fearsome odds the public must combat when an incompetent or dishonest starter sends the fields away from the post.

A horse may be pounds and pounds the best, but the starter may leave him flat-footed or turned with his tail to the barrier and the odds-on favorite's chance to win after the start are 100 to 1 or worse. Witness the Nonie Lucille race yesterday, the fifth on the programme. Nonie was a legitimate favorite on form and was heavily played at 9 to 10. Little Ross, the best all-round jockey at the track, had the mount. Roy Offutt, to whom Ross is under contract, and who is the smartest and gamest of the big gamblers who play the races "from the ground," bet $2000 on Nonie Lucille to win. The guckers bet their last dollars on her. It looked that the books could not win on this race, and the "wise money," which was bet on Sly Ben to win, appeared very foolish money. But this was before the horses went to the post. See what happened.

When Dwyer released the barrier, Sly Ben broke flying in front; Nonie Lucille was standing sideways and got off next to last, only a 200 to 1 shot breaking behind her. The odds-on favorite was twenty lengths out of it at the start, and only six furlongs to go. Jockey Ross, knowing that his employer expected him to win, went to work, whip and spur, and sent the beaten favorite flying around the big, straggly field. In a quarter of a mile Nonie Lucille made up the twenty lengths she was beaten at the start, and was at the throatlatch of the flying good thing. Sly Ben, which the starter let off in front. The favorite's burning speed should have carried her twenty lengths ahead of her field had she gotten off to an even break. As it was, it barely took her up with the leader, took the run out of her, broke her courage and her wind and settled her chances for good and all. Nonie Lucille finished a disgraceful next to last, twelve lengths in front of the 200 to 1 shot.

JUDGES TO BLAME.

This is but a sample of what bad starts may, can and do do to the public which insists on betting on the game. If horse racing were ideal—which it is not and cannot be, because of its own necessities—Judge Hamilton would not permit such starting to continue. He would insist on having a man send the fields away who could give the public an even break for its money.

In the races run yesterday the fields were poor, the starts never excellent, the form entirely missing. The public got a royal trimming. Silk Hose, favorite in the second race, ran seventh. Slippery, the choice in the third, managed to finish a poor second. Gorgalette, favorite in the fourth, was left flat-footed, and was never better than seventh in the race, while Avontellus, second choice in the same race, got off eighth in a field of eight, and by running around the entire lot managed to finish second. Bellmence, the "good thing" of the race, got a running start on the rail, laid second and third to the stretch, and won eased up.

The last race saw Dr. Simrall and Sir Angus, the legitimate favorite and second choice, respectively, beaten seven lengths by Rip Rap and Surezain, the [illegible] Why? Suzerain started January 13 in a field of eleven and finished eleventh. He was 60 to 1 to win that day. Yesterday he was backed down from 20 to 1 to 10 to 1 by the "inside" gamblers got off eighth, and finished a bang-up second. A little better start and he would have beaten the other good thing, Bon Ton, which was played by a little wiser bunch than those who backed Suzerain.

Bon Ton "beat the barrier" by five lengths at the start, and led all the way to the wire. He opened at 8 to 1 and went to the post at 3 to 1. The Owensboro book, the biggest in the ring, refused to take any bets on Bon Ton or Suzerain. Yet Suzerain in his only previous start ran last all the way in a field of eleven dogs, and Bon Ton in his last two starts, had not been one, two, three, or within seven lengths of the winning horse. Why were the books afraid of Bon Ton and Suzerain, and why did they eagerly take all the wagers offered them on Dr. Simrall and Sir Angus? Because Bon Ton and Suzerain were the ones which were trying to win; Simrall and Angus were the ones which figured to win. The difference is as wide as that which separates the "sucker" from the "wise" money when the books pay off after the race. Results:

RACING RESULTS.

Five furlongs, selling. Diamond, 119 (Knapp,) 9 to 5, won; Lady Kitty, 113 (Burns,) 5 to 1, second; El Bernardo, 119 (Grand,) 30 to 1, third; time 1:01 2-5. Interlude, Chalfonte, Ila, All Right, Common Sue, George Swain, Golden Boy, Neraka, Commida, Dr. White and Prestige also ran, Fly Back scratched.

Three furlongs, two-year-olds: Madeline Musgrave, 105 (Musgrave,) 2 to 1, won; Mattie Russell, 100 (Burns,) 6 to 1, second; Bold, 105 (Schilling,) 4 to 1, third; time 0:35 2-5. Bell of Brass, Foreguard, C. W. Riley, Silk Hose, Blight and Rey el Dinero also ran. Colored Lady and Fred Maier scratched.

Five furlongs, selling: Golden Rule, 119 (Knapp,) 7 to 2, won; Slippery, 113 (Ross,) 3 to 1, second; Daisy Frost, 113 (Harty,) 5 to 1, third; time 1:00 2-5. Grenore, Jimalong, Queen of the Camp, Hirtle, Revolt, Royal Rogue, Florena, Baby Kiefe and Banellen also ran.

Mile and an eighth, selling Bellmence, 95 (Martin,) 7 to 2, won; Avontellus, 107 (Buxton,) 5 to 2, second; Meddling Daisy, 102 (Ross,) 10 to 1, third; time 1:53 2-5. Creppe Becklam, Giovanni Balerio, Ed Sheridan, Gorgalette and Anvil also ran. Lady Chiswell and Perry Wicks scratched.

Six furlongs, purse: Sly Ben, 109 (Grand,) 4 to 1, won; Alice Carey, 107 (Buxton,) 60 to 1, second; Teacress, 107 (Musgrave,) 3 to 1, third; time 1:14. Head Dance, Louise Fitzgibbon, J. J. Rogers, Nonie Lucille and Lydia Wrouseman also ran. Golden Wave, Beichamber and Sir Russell scratched.

Six furlongs, selling: Bon Ton, 104 (Harty,) 3 to 1, won; Suzerain, 107 (Schilling) 10 to 1, second; Dr. Simrall, 107 (Taylor,) 9 to 5, third; time 1:14. Sir Angus, Decorator, The Hammer, S. A. Carlisle, Maxnal, Mossback, Soldano, George Byrnes and Floristan also ran. Henry of Shennamere scratched.

Arcadia Entries.

First race—Purse, maidens, five furlongs:

... Frizell	112
196 Baloleo	112
... Athor	107
210 May Sutton	112
196 Belle of Mayfair	107
196 Litholin	107
202 Billowy	112
159 Velma C	112
202 Costly	107
168 Virlando	107
... Valley Stream	107

Second race—Purse, six and a half furlongs:

162 Smirker	104
(96) Col. Bob	112
12 Duke Bridgewater	104
162 Rosegal	102
196 Annette	102
116 Gaga	104

Third race—Purse, three furlongs:

204 Frank Clancy	105
196 Verena	105
198 Roy Junior	108
204 Instant	105
... Harry Stanhope	112
... c., Ingoldsby-Token.	
... Furnace	113

B. c., Canopus-Calora.

198 Marion Delorme	105
155 Traffic	108
196 Banrose	105
204 Lady Quality	105

Fourth race—The Gardena Selling Stakes, $1500 added, one and one-sixteenth miles:

40 Mark Anthony II	100
(194) Marster	102
(212) George S. Davis	100
(175) Rapid Water	110
(211) *Pretension	102
199 Ed Ball	100
131 Kilter	102

Fifth race—Selling, two miles:

180 *Ten Row	83
211 *Colewort	90
188 Mamie Algol	103
195 Prestolus	113
158 Rostof	98
218 *Giovoni Balerio	100
201 Big Bow	107
(195) Rip Rap	95

Sixth race—Selling, seven furlongs:

214 Lee Harrison II	102
165 Buster Jones	102
214 Esther B	100
184 Stoney Lee	102
138 Dr. Crook	102
(172) Homeless	102
208 Miss Himyar	100
132 Mary Candlemas	100
... Mountebank	102
184 Sainrida	100
174 *Prolific	97
184 Pepper and Salt	100
197 Kirkfield Belle	100
214 Phil Igoe	102

Seventh race—Purse, one mile:

193 Dominus Arvi	107
195 Don Hart	104
154 Toupee	107
194 Ampedo	107
202 Adoration	102
199 Ed Ball	107
208 Sentado	107
... Livius	107
201 Perry Wicks	107
134 Dredger	95
154 Confederate	110

RACING AT OAKLAND.

FEW FAVORITES IN FRONT.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—It was a bad day for the backers of favorites at Emeryville. Byronerdale showed great improvement over his last race and won the fourth race, with ease. He was always well up in the running and when ready went to the front without an effort. The track was slow. In the fourth race, Castile fell and broke a leg and was destroyed. Jockey Miller was not seriously hurt. Results:

Futurity course: Purse Ormuz, 104 (Miller,) 7 to 10, won; Lord Filigrane, 102 (Davis,) 10 to 1, second; Sophomore, 107 (Carroll,) 8 to 1, third; time, 1:11. Bardonia, Last Go, Exchequer, Leonardsdale, Supine, Oronogo, Orsula, Miss Charity, and Bannock Bob finished as named.

Three furlongs, purse: Chitterlings, 102 (Scoville,) 2 to 1, won; Alice Collins, 105 (Keogh,) 9 to 1, second; Who, 105 (Miller,) 4 to 1, third; time, 0:37 1-5. Narrator, Schmooser, Mary Man, Collice, Bernardt, Prince Ormaide, Phyllie, False Nun, and Linola finished as named.

One and a half miles, selling: Byronerdale, 110 (Davis,) 16 to 5, won; Prince of Orange, 93 (Lyeurgus,) 40 to 1, second; Tetanus, 89 (Charboneau,) 7 to 1, third; time, 2:38 2-5. Iras, Rotrou, Royal Red, and Jacomo finished as named.

Six furlongs, selling: Heather Scott, 105 (Lyeurgus,) 4 to 1, second; Billy Myer, 102 (Davis,) 13 to 2, third; time, 1:15 1-5. Jockey Mounce, Sand Piper and Castile finished as named.

One and one-sixteenth miles, selling: Arcourt, 108 (Fisher,) 15 to 1, won; Benvolio, 116 (Keogh,) 25 to 1, second; Fury, 108 (Mentry,) 7 to 1, third; time, 1:47 3-5. Matador, Isabella, Ethel Abbott, Confessor, Markie Mayer, Magrene, Cheripe and Queen Alamo finished as named.

One mile and twenty yards, purse: Cloyne, 86 (Borel,) 11 to 2, won; Sidney F., 105 (Van Dusan,) 7 to 5, second; Miss Officious, 102 (Kelly,) 18 to 5, third; time, 1:44 2-5. Northwest, Bryan, Eduardo, Mandator and Celeres finished as named.

JOCKEY MILLER COMING.

WILLIAMS TO SHIP HERE.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] As a manifestation of his good will toward the Southern California Racing Association, Thomas H. Williams, president of the California Jockey Club, has decided to ship a carload of his horses to the Arcadia tract. The horses will leave Oakland Saturday.

Jockey Miller will go with the Williams horses. He is under contract to Williams, although he has the privilege of taking outside mounts when Williams does not require his services.

JOCKEY CLUB THERE.

SOUTHERN BUNCH STRONG.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Whatever doubt there might have been of the near future bringing about the winding up of the Western Jockey Club, was dissipated tonight, when, at a meeting of the license committee of the American Turf Association, John Hachmeister, financial secretary of the two tracks here and an adherent of the Western Jockey Club forces, was present with Edward Corrigan, M. J. Winn and W. O. Parmer to pass upon the applications for licenses presented.

The arrangement whereby Mr. Hachmeister attended the meeting was made several days ago, and the fact that he did attend, means that all the licenses this year will be given by the American Turf Association.

Jockeys George Mountain, Allen Auchon and D. V. McClure were refused licenses.

Races at New Orleans.

NEW ORLEANS, Jan. 17.—Fair Grounds results:

Five and a half furlongs: The Thorn won; Night Mist second, Dick Rose third; time 1:08 4-5.

Five and a half furlongs: Arrow Swift won, Rustler second, Third Rail third; time 1:09 1-5.

Six furlongs: Consistent won, French Nun second, Jack Bratton third; time 1:16.

Six furlongs: Conville win, Gambrinus second, Rappahannock third; time 1:16.

Mile and a sixteenth: Footlight Favorite won, Miss Strome second, Lady Alicia third; time 1:50 3-5.

Mile and 70 yards: Melange won, Miss Mazzoni second, Moscow Belle third; time 1:47 3-5.

POMONA BEATS PREPS.

Rough Exhibition of Basketball in Which Collegians Barely Win the Contest.

CLAREMONT, Jan. 17.—Pomona College defeated the Pomona High School basketball team this afternoon, by the score of 25 to 22, in a very rough exhibition. The High School threw sixteen goals from fouls, and the 'varsity eight. Hayes and Evarts, forwards on the 'varsity and High School, respectively, threw five field goals each. The line-up was:

Pomona.		Pomona H. S.
Hayes	forward	Evarts (c.)
Meuls-Richards	forward	McIntyre
Metcalf Gore	center	Kenter
Hitchcock Lorbeer	guard	Nesbit
Winguard	guard	Belker

Summary:

Field goals—Hayes, 5; Evarts, 5; Richards, 3; McIntyre, 2; Nesbit, 2; Lorbeer, 1; free throws—Hayes, 4; Evarts, 4; Meuls 1; halves, 20 minutes; Hennins, referee; Grady, umpire.

Gymnastics at Y.M.C.A.

Athletes of the local Y.M.C.A. will compete in the indoor try-out, tonight, for places on the team which will represent the Los Angeles association in the State Y.M.C.A. championship meet at Long Beach next month. The Meteors, winners of the basketball championship, will play a practice game with the armory team at the latter's hall.

ALL SETTLED.

UNHOLZ AND NELSON SURE.

Lightweights to Meet First February Date.

Thomas in Good Shape for Go Next Tuesday.

If Woods Shows Form He May Fight Langford.

The Bat Nelson-Kid Scaler fight, which was scheduled for this city for January 14 and then January 28, is off for good, and in its place the local fans will see Nelson and Boer Unholz at the Pacific Athletic Club on the night of Tuesday, February 4. These two boys have been signed for several days, but the date was finally decided on yesterday, after Nelson called off the scrap with Scaler.

On paper, this looks to be about the best thing that could be put on to give the local fight bugs a run for their money. Nelson is the ex-champion lightweight and has never been seen in action here, while Unholz is the freak fighter of the day and has beaten dozens of good boys, George Memsic being among them. Unholz made a big hit here in beating Memsic and the local bugs have always wanted to see the Battler in action, having been cheated out of a chance here several years ago when Herrera flunked out of a fight with Bat.

Nelson really looks better than when he was here before, and thinks so well of the Boer's chances that he will begin training today at Arcadia. They will meet at 133 pounds, several hours before the fight, but as both of them will have no trouble in making 132 or lower, the weight question is practically unimportant. They will divide the money 60 and 40 per cent.

The Boer will begin work today at the East Side Club and has been doing light exercise all this week.

THOMAS DOING WELL.

Both Thomas and Jack Sullivan are putting in extra efforts to be in the best of condition for their fight next Tuesday night at the local club. Sullivan is at Arcadia and Thomas at the East Side Club, and each man starts the day with about ten miles on the road, with the usual gym work in the afternoon. Thomas weighed 170 pounds yesterday and says he never felt better, as he does not have to take off ten or twenty pounds, as he did in both the fights with Ketchell. Joe is particularly anxious to retrieve his laurels that were dimmed by making weight for Ketchell, and Sullivan does not propose to let his Squires victory be tarnished, if it is possible to avoid it.

Nelson received a telegram yesterday from a man in Bakersfield, who wanted to know if Bat would fight Herrera in the oil town, and Nelson wired back that he would if the Mexican would post "an iron-clad bond" that he would not run out, as he did here with Nelson. Bat says if the Bakersfield people will guarantee a $5000 purse for the fight, he will fight the Mexican.

It is possible that Langford may be put on with Billy Woods on January 28, if Woods beats Collins easily next Tuesday night. Billy is showing his old-time form in his work at the pavilion and promises to surprise his friends next week.

A new fighter is here looking for trouble at 120 pounds. He is Phil Brock, whose scheduled fight with Frank Carsey at Denver on New Year's Day was stopped by the Governor of the State. If Woods and Langford are carded for January 28, Brock may be put on with Kid Dalton for the main preliminary.

WRESTLING TOURNAMENT.

Henry Nordahl Wins First Mat Honors in the Lightweight Class at U.S.C.

Henry Nordahl won first honors in the lightweight class, and Hall and Taylor each gained a fall in the middleweight class matches of the wrestling tournament held in the chapel annex at U.S.C. yesterday afternoon. The final round of the matches of the middleweight class, and the heavyweight contests will be pulled off early in February.

Although the heavyweight candidates failed to enter the lists in yesterday's series, some highly exciting matches were given by the participating middlers. Taylor, who was picked as the probable winner of the latter division, had considerable difficulty in flooring Freshman Henderson. The two were about equal in strength, and only by a superior knowledge of the mat game was Taylor able to win out.

Henderson won the first fall, after four minutes of work. Taylor annexed the second match with a clever hammerlock hold. The third bout resulted in a heavy overhead toss by Taylor, landing the luckless freshman on his shoulders and forearm, causing a painful injury to the latter. Taylor, weakened by his bouts with Henderson, went down before Hall, who had easily floored Curl in two straight matches, and lost the first match. The second, however, was Taylor's, after three minutes of effort.

The Nordahl-Fogel match was productive of much sport for the enthused spectators, Nordahl winning the honors in two straight bouts. After the main bouts, Stookey and Holmes gave an exhibition match, which quickly showed the coach invincible, despite the best efforts of the giant football man.

BALK LINE BILLIARDS.

Chick Wright Beats George Kennedy in Final Game of Match of One Thousand Points.

The 1000-point balkline billiard match between Chick Wright of San Francisco and George Kennewl of this city, came to an end last night at Berry's rooms on South Spring street, Wright winning by a score of 1000 to 642, a large crowd witnessing the game. Wright was in good form, making 400 to 294 by Kennedy, and yet the latter played his usual strong game, and finished the three-nights' play with a grand average of 11 17-57, which is great work for 18.2 billiards by an amateur who has little time for real practice.

Wright's average for the 400 points he made last night, was 18 4-11, and his grand average for the 1000 points was 17 7-29. This is very near shortstop championship form, and if he plays as strong in March in Chicago at the big tourney, he should finish near the front. He had high runs of 92, 56, 43, 40 and 32. Kennedy's average last night was 13 4-11, and his high runs were 76, 39, 31, 25 and 21, and he played one of his best games. He was up against a better man, and was the first one to admit it.

After the game, William Spinks gave a fine exhibitions of fancy shots, and introduced his famous "spit ball," Betsy, to the delighted crowd. Spinks is one of the best players in the country, and is in fine form now.

PLAYERS REINSTATED.

Scanlon and Rich Are Forgiven by Midwinter League and Thistles Get Protested Game.

At a meeting of the Midwinter Baseball League last night, the directors voted to reinstate Shortstop Scanlon of the Thistle team and Pitcher Rich of the Florence team, who were suspended for playing in the California Winter League. The protested game between the Thistles and the Florence team was given to the Thistles, since Scanlon was reinstated.

A resolution was passed that no player be taken from the California Winter League in the future.

TO LIMIT TRACK MEETS.

Academic Athletic Union to Meet With Southern College Representatives Today.

Interscholastic track meets in Southern California probably will be limited to one each season, by the track committee of the Academic Athletic Union, which is to meet with representatives of the southern colleges this morning. U.S.C. and Pomona both contemplate holding meets for the prep schools, and the probabilities are that Occodental and St. Vincent's will also schedule invitation meets before the season closes. This increasing rivalry for High School track men, say the school authorities, causes too large a schedule, and works a hardship on the young athletes.

It is proposed that but one invitation interscholastic meet be held in the South each season, and that a different college conduct the event each year. With the Stanford interscholastic meet, in May, and the County League meet, this will give the prep schools plenty to do, as there will be no restrictions on the number of dual meets which may be arranged.

L. M. Barker of Orange, and P. W. Kauffman of Pomona, compose the committee of the Academic Athletic Union, which proposes to legislate against the holding of more than one interscholastic meet in the South. They will meet representatives from the rival colleges this morning, in the Chamber of Commerce building, at 10 o'clock, in an effort to make some kind of an arrangement satisfactory to the colleges wishing to entertain the prep. athletes.

COMPTON AND GLENDALE.

Girls' Basketball Teams to Meet This Afternoon—U.S.C. and Glendale in Morning.

GLENDALE, Jan. 17.—The Compton girls' basketball team is to meet the Glendale team Saturday afternoon at 2 o'clock on the home court. The vacancy made by the resignation of Miss Sadler, a crack forward, will be filled by Miss Hopkins. The line-up is as follows:

Compton.		Glendale.
J. Cunningham	F.	B. Hopkins
H. Cunningham	F.	Pearl Goode
C. Ahlstrom	C.	Pearl Cotterel
M. Walton	C.	L. Mitchell
V. Renfro	G.	E. Ellias
P. Aylmore	G.	A. Stone

In the morning at 10 o'clock, on the the local team's court, U.S.C. is to play against Glendale.

Schedule Enlarged.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Jan. 17.—The spring baseball schedule for the Stanford squad has been enlarged by the addition of three games with the Olympic Club of San Francisco, which will be played on Washington's Birthday, March 19, and March 22. The aggregation wearing the "winged O" are a new organization, but there are several former college stars on the squad, and the management promises a first-class team.

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SPEEDY.

JACKRABBIT IS SWIFT JUMPER.

OVER ROADS IN RECORD-BREAKING TIME.

Edgar Apperson Drives His Speedy Roadster from Angel City to San Bernardino in Two Hours and Forty-five Minutes—Friends Claim He Is Preparing to Accept Challenge.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

SAN BERNARDINO, Jan. 17.—Edgar Apperson drove the Apperson Jackrabbit from Los Angeles to San Bernardino this afternoon in two hours and forty minutes. The last thirteen miles of the round trip were made in eighteen minutes. This establishes a new road record, being the best time ever made between the two points.

Without announcing that he intended to try for a record, Apperson pulled out of Los Angeles quietly yesterday afternoon. With him was Judge W. H. Rose of this city, who is also interested in motor cars. W. C. Vaughan followed in an Apperson touring car with D. Kendall of Salt Lake and Frank Rose of this city.

Outside of the city streets Apperson let the trim roadster out, and the miles flew over the roads on the north end of San Bernardino Valley. The car was working like a charm and answered the slightest touch of the controls. Over the road it is to San Bernardino, establishing a remarkable record, and proving itself one of the fastest roadsters here-about.

Harry Wills, W. L. Lemon, Joseph Cline and A. McKee will accompany Apperson to Elsinore, where two days' hunting will be enjoyed. After the hunt Apperson and party will journey to San Diego for the double purposes of studying road conditions. They will make the run back to this city by the coast route.

The run of yesterday is the first real test that the Apperson Jackrabbit has been given. The car has proved itself to be speedy, and Apperson's belief that his machine is fast seems to have been based on his knowledge of what it can do.

Those who know say Apperson is using the car for the purpose of testing himself with the road conditions of Southern California previous to a race. His doft, which has been accepted, has caused Apperson to stir himself in order to be ready to back his claims.

A friend who knew Apperson in the days when he was a motor car manufacturer referred to him as being one of the nerviest men he knew. This friend declared that Apperson will race, and that it is his opinion that the motorist who is waiting until he has completed his car before closing with challengers who are so anxious to see him any distance.

GOLF AND ROBIN GOLF.

Los Angeles Country Club Members Play This Afternoon in Last Handicap January Event.

The first round-robin golf tournament of the Los Angeles Country Club will be played today, the drawings and pairings having been arranged yesterday. Players will meet members of the handicap class, for a round of eighteen holes, until only one is left in each division. Those will play with the survivor, and the prizes will be awarded to the three players having the greatest number of holes. One week will be allowed for each round of play.

The handicap classes, with the drawings, are:

Class A—W. W. Butler and W. B. Bovard; Irvine and Stirling C. Lines.

Class B—Handicap—A. H. Brawley and ——; Wilshire, a bye.

Class C—Handicap—Henry Newton and ——; Walker; Capt. Fries, a bye.

Class D—Handicap—F. W. Coffin and E. ——; F. W. Maule and S. S. ——; Griffith, a bye.

Class E—Handicap—Dr. W. Hughes and ——; George B. Ellis and ——; Parland; A. Crutcher and ——; Kilpatrick.

Class F—Handicap—L. Bradford and ——; Henderson; G. Hotterhoff, Jr., and ——; Church; A. H. Conger and ——; Dr. C. B. Jones, a bye.

Class G—Handicap—N. O. Mott and ——; Henderson; B. O. Johnson and ——; Dr. Waddell, a bye.

Class H—Handicap—Judge M. L. Graft and E. Seemann.

Class I—Handicap—John J. Aiken and W. Long; Gilbert, a bye.

POLO.

Team of Mackey Silver Cup Polo Team in Exciting Game.

[SPECIAL WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

PASADENA, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive dispatch.] One of the most spirited polo games of the season, the championship game for the Mackey cup last year, pitted the team from the Riviera Club this afternoon in Tournament Park, by a score of 7 to 6. The game was preliminary to the match that will play for the Mackey cup on the grounds of the Riviera Club.

The teams comprised M. Riddle and G. Pattee, 2; Robert Strong and W. Lionel Robinson, 1, opposing team composed of W. E. Pedley, 2; Dr. Waddell and F. D. Hudson, 1. At the end of the period T. B. Clarke, the picked team and Riviera star player for the champions, making three out of five goals. Bettner made several long drives, and he and Flowers each made a goal for the champion team. In the first period. Pedley made a goal for the picked team in the first period and Jenkinson, in a spectacular drive across the field, made a goal for the picked team in the second period. Hudson made a brilliant drive, the length of the field, but was blocked at the critical moment. Fast play marked the game.

May Be Outlaws.

VANCOUVER, (B. C.) Jan. 17.—A strong amateur team to play in a four-club independent league, composed of Everett, Bellingham, Seattle and Vancouver, is the project mooted by Harry J. Duker, manager of Recreation Park, in case negotiations now in progress for the taking over of the Northwestern League team here falls through. Duker is figuring on a team playing three games a week, Wednesday and Saturdays here, and on Sundays across the border.

Rally at Stanford.

STANFORD UNIVERSITY, Jan. 17.—At the monster rally which opened the track season last night, 154 men signed up for track training this spring. Last year's list was 121 candidates. The outlook for the season seems especially bright, and cardinal athletes are inclined to be optimistic.

Slosson Victorious.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—George Slosson, of this city, scored another victory over George Sutton, the world's champion 18.2, balk line billiard player, tonight, 400 to 273. He won the first game last night by a score of 400 to 312. They are to play ten games.

To Curtail Athletics.

CAMBRIDGE (Mass.) Jan. 17.—The faculty of Harvard has voted an "opinion" that the number of intercollegiate contests should be largely reduced. The "opinion" will be sent to the bodies in control of athletics, principally football.

Three-Cushion Game.

Only one game was played last night in Morley's three-cushion tourney, and in this, Gebauer beat Jack Bayne, 25 to 22. There will be no games until Monday night, when four are scheduled.

Game Is Postponed.

The L. A. Throop basketball game scheduled for today has been postponed until Wednesday. The game will take place at Pasadena.

VETERANS.

OVER AGAIN ARE BATTLES FOUGHT.

TALES OF WAR BY MAKERS OF TRANSVAAL HISTORY.

Experts Who Loomed Large in South Africa Strife in Stirring Days Are Banqueted by the Yale Club of Southern California — Laud Rhodes and Denounce Oom Paul.

John Hays Hammond, professor of mining of Yale University, highest-salaried mining expert in the world, who was sentenced to death after the Jameson Raid, and who served six months in a Boer jail, was the guest of honor at a banquet tendered to him and to Maj. Burnham of Pasadena, who served with distinction in the Boer War, by the Yale Club of Southern California, at the University Club last night. About forty-five university men attended and listened to an interesting explanation of the facts leading up to the raid, and its subsequent disastrous ending.

The dining-room of the club was hung with the flags of colleges, while large American and British flags were draped in the corners behind the guests of the evening. Dr. Francis B. Kellogg, president of the club, acted as toastmaster, and in introducing Mr. Hammond, referred to him as a Yale man who had carried the fame of the great alma mater to the farthermost ends of the civilized world, and who had the added distinction of having served a term in jail.

Mr. Hammond disclaimed any distinction in the latter episode, and cheerfully confessed that his first experience in jail had been gained during his college days, when he was "jugged" at Yale as the result of a heated argument attending the defeat of the college in a baseball game in 1876.

In describing the conditions in South Africa, he paid a glowing eulogy to the late Cecil Rhodes, and characterized him as one of the greatest and most honorable men he had ever met. He described the intolerable conditions under which the Uitlanders suffered before the raid, and described Kruger as utterly corrupt and ignorant. In drawing comparisons he said that Abe Ruef and Schmitz were gentlemen and high-class citizens when placed beside the late President of the Boer Republic. During the events leading up to the raid he had charge of the smuggling of arms, which, to avoid suspicion, were brought into the country in Standard Oil tanks. Had it not been for the stupidity or ignorance of Dr. Jameson, there would have been no trouble in carrying out the plans of the Reform Committee. But the arms were received slowly, and before the Johannesburg party was fully equipped the historical raid was made and the tale of disaster and defeat written.

In company with Farrer, Phillips and the late Col. Frank Rhodes, brother of Cecil Rhodes, Prof. Hammond was arrested and pleaded guilty to inciting to rebellion, after receiving assurance that the crime could only be punished by a term of imprisonment. The court, however, found the leaders guilty of high treason and all were sentenced to death. After serving six months in jail and silently suffering every indignity put upon them in the hope that their spirits would be broken, the party was at last released upon the payment of a fine of $125,000 apiece. Sixty other lesser conspirators were also released upon the payment of $50,000 fines. Prof. Hammond refused the proffered protection of the British government and also stood upon his rights as an American citizen when haled before the Cape Colony Parliamentary Commission in the hope that he would make some admissions implicating Cecil Rhodes in the raid.

In closing, Prof. Hammond paid a glowing tribute to his wife, who stayed by him throughout the stirring events and subsequently wrote an interesting account of the affair in "A Woman's Recollections of a Revolution."

Maj. Burnham, whose experiences have carried him into every war of the past twenty years in South Africa, and who has the distinction of being one of the few foreigners who is a full major in the British army, followed Mr. Hammond with a recital of some of his experiences in the Matabele and Boer wars. He(too, paid a since tribute to the greatness of Cecil Rhodes and said that Mr. Hammond was looked upon as the indisputable leader in the troubles of the Jameson raid.

Two girls were killed and seven others were seriously injured in a fire at Scranton, Pa., yesterday, in the building occupied by the Imperial Underwear factory. Two hundred girls were employed by the company, and there was a panic when the alarm of fire was sounded.

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Another low shoe special at 98c is a lot of oxfords of $3 grade that are fairly well sized but odds and ends. If your size is found you certainly get low shoes at a third of their actual value. The Big Bargain Basement is a feature you know of this busy shoe market, and any time you need shoes it will pay you to remember 519 South Broadway, The Mammoth Shoe House, between Fifth and Sixth.

ARIZONA.

PART IN MURDER CATTLE PLAY.

FATHER OF DEAD MAN GOT THE STEERS AS FEES.

Later He Shared in Criminal Prosecution of Some of Those from Whom He Took Beasts as Pay and They Got Even by Slaying His Son. Suspect Arrested.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE OF THE TIMES.]

PHOENIX (Ariz.) Jan. 16.—John Cline of the famous Tonto Basin Cline family was arrested at Mesa and now is in jail here, charged with the murder of Charles Edwards on Tonto Creek a few days ago. Edwards's body was found beside the road a dozen miles north of Roosevelt, half concealed by bushes, behind which assassins had lain in ambush. The slayers were wise in their iniquity, for they had taken every precaution to leave not a footprint from which Indian trailers could deduce any information. There seemed not the slightest clew or track to follow, though the broken brush where the slayers lay was found, as well as several rifle shells. All a Coroner's jury could do was to find a verdict that Edwards was murdered by a person or persons unknown. Sheriff Thompson of Gila county, considered one of the most efficient peace officers of the Territory, after an examination of the ground, is of the opinion that at least three persons were implicated and he calls the crime one of the most cold-blooded ever known in the county.

WAS HE A VICTIM OF FEUD?

Cline arrived yesterday in Mesa and was promptly taken into custody, on information furnished by Thompson. He has talked freely since his arrival here and seems to know considerable about the circumstances of the crime, though he alleges he and three others were working in a hay field, three-quarters of a mile distant, when the shooting occurred. He said they heard three shots over by the road about sunset but paid little attetnion to them, and it was a passerby who discovered the body the next morning.

On the other hand, it is known that there has been a feud between Edwards and the Cline faction. Edwards, before leaving Phoenix, confided to a friend that if he were found dead, John Cline was the man who killed him.

POSITION WAS UNENVIABLE.

In many ways there is much similarity between the ambush of Edwards and that of Daggs and Detmore at Superior, a couple of weeks ago. Edwards was in an unenviable position in Tonto Basin, for he was in charge of cattle willed to him by his father, which had been acquired as fees for defending a part of the population of Tonto Basin on criminal charges, though in his later years the elder Edwards participated warmly in the prosecution of the same men who had been his best clients in the past. Young Edwards appreciated his danger and was preparing to leave for Northern Arizona, where he said there were not as many "gun fighters" as in the basin.

COW COUNTRY AMENITIES.

In rather curious association with the killing of Edwards was the arrest, a few days ago in Mohave county, of Henry Blevins, who for some time had prosecuted a lucrative industry in the horse-stealing line in Northwestern Arizona, retailing the stolen animals at Chloride, Kingman and other towns. Blevins for many years was a member of the Cline faction in Tonto Basin and had a most unsavory record. With King Ussery he robbed the Florence-Globe stage of two bars of bullion and soon thereafter was run down near his home in Tonto Basin and sent to Yuma for awhile. When that term was over, he returned to the range and very soon thereafter was rearrested and again sent to Yuma for several years. In his first trial he was defended by Attorney E. J. Edwards, to whom he transferred his herd of cattle as fee. It was for the theft of individual cattle from the Edwards herd that he was given his second term in Yuma. Blevins has never been conspicuous as a "bad man." He always has been known as a rather mild-mannered individual, who had an itching for the possession of the property of others. It is understood that Blevins and one Joe Davis are wanted for the theft of a number of horses in the Salt River Valley, which they left a number of months ago with borrowed animals.

HATCHETMEN DEFEND MURDER.

Nothing particularly new has materialized concerning the assassination of A. J. Daggs and George A. Detmore at Superior, except that it appears to be established that the jumping of the claims charged against Daggs really had been done by the other party in the controversy. A Western Federation organ claims that Detmore was an assassin and an all-round criminal and charges that he was responsible for the killing of Congressman John M. Glover of Cripple Creek, one of the attorneys for the federation. Other reports from Colorado are of a very different tenor, telling that Detmore was a man who always stood for law and order, that he was a capable and conscientious peace officer and that his work throughout the troublesome times at Cripple Creek was of the best.

SANTA FE TAX CASES.

The Territorial Supreme Court has taken under consideration the important Santa Fé tax cases, covering the Grand Cañon Railroad and the Western Arizona Railroad, from which the counties of Coconino and Mohave are seeking to collect taxes, despite the fact that the roads originally were exempt.

Judge Kent has refused to restrain the Board of Supervisors from calling a prohibition election in Maricopa county, and an appeal has been taken by the local saloon keepers to the Supreme Court.

Another case before the Supreme Court affecting public morality is an appeal from the decision of Judge Campbell at Tucson, in which it was decided that a Catholic parochial school could not be considered as a "public school" in the enforcement of a Territorial law, which prohibits all houses of ill fame within 400 yards of a schoolhouse.

LAWYERS ELECT OFFICERS.

At the annual election of the Territorial Bar Association, John M. Ross of Prescott, was elected president, and George J. Stoneman of Globe, vice-president, while Paul R. Ingles and E. W. Lewis were reelected, respectively, secretary and treasurer. The bar association banquet was held last night, T. G. Norris of Prescott, presiding.

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Combining several fortunate purchases, made possible by the unsettled condition of the Eastern money market, with a great grouping of odd sizes and lines from our own splendid regular stock—reduced for quick adjustment. An opportunity for investment that assures earnings of close to 100 per cent.—no sale subterfuges, no false markings and re-markings. A real sale of exceptional merit—values exactly as stated, backed by our reputation and guarantee.

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Are strictly hand tailored; perfectly finished; imported and domestic fabrics; newest shades and fashions. Special $20 and $25 suits at $14.85.

Men's $3.50 and $4.00 Trousers $2.00

All sizes; all good styles; 31 to 42 waists; splendid fitting pants; fine patterns—$2.00. Special today.

Men's Warmer Weight Underwear Today

The good garments that are guarantees of winter warmth, comfort, health; garments, we can guarantee the same at sale as at regular prices. Today, the day to buy.

MEN'S $2.00 NATURAL WOOL GARMENTS AT $1.35

Shirts and drawers; a medium weight; fine, soft wool that will not irritate. Special today, $1.35.

MEN'S $1.00 WOOL GARMENTS. SPECIAL AT 75c

Two colors, blue gray and natural gray; $1.00 regularly. Today at 75c.

MEN'S 75c HEAVY WOOL GARMENTS AT 50c

Cut full to fit right; made splendidly. Special, 50c.

Men's 25c Socks at 15c

Fine, soft cashmere socks for winter; seamless finish. Special 25c values 15c.

Men's Flannel Night Shirts .. 43c

Soft, warm quality; neat patterns; cut fine and full. Very special at 43c.

An Extraordinary Shoe Sale

A union of quality and low prices that should crowd each of these three great exclusive shoe stores to the limit today.

Shoes of character and style; shoes that fit. Not sale shoes by any means, but shoes that we guarantee to give satisfaction. All leathers, all lasts. All priced for today—a great day's selling. Children's shoes, main floor; men's shoes, third floor; women's shoes, main floor, Section F.

MEN'S $3.50 SHOES AT $2.35
Blucher cuts; a variety of lasts; all leathers; Goodyear welt, oak leather soles. Shoes with custom style. Special, $2.35. Third floor.

BABIES' $1.00 SHOES AT 50c
Various styles in different leathers; sizes to 5½; special, 50c.
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Furniture, Carpets,

Saturday, Jan. 18, 10 a.m.

830-832 SO. MAIN ST.

Consigned for immediate sale from warehouse. One upright piano, odd dressers and commodes, iron and brass beds, springs, mattresses, rockers and chairs, extension tables, dining chairs, buffets, sideboards, center stands, upholstered parlor pieces, bookcases, couches, sewing machines, wardrobes, bedroom suites, body Brussels, tapestry, Axminster and velvet carpets and art squares, cook stoves, gas ranges, heaters, dishes, kitchen tables, utensils, etc., etc. All must be sold on this date.

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Auction

Saturday, Jan. 18, 10:30 a.m.

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Restaurant and Delicatessen. Fifty chairs, fifteen tables, counter, steam table with pans, showcase, table linens, dishes, glassware, cutlery, spoons, one oak extension table, large Jewel gas range with water back, four gas plates, oven, refrigerator, kitchen tables, wash tables, and a full line of cooking utensils. Sale positive. R. N. KEMP & CO., Auctioneers. Phone Home A2026. Office, Copp Bldg., rooms 415-419.

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The Sunday circulation of The Times exceeds 70,000 copies, and more "liners" are regularly printed in its columns than in the five other Los Angeles newspapers combined.

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SPECIAL NOTICES—

STOCKHOLDERS' MEETING—To the stockholders of the California Industrial Company: The regular annual meeting of the stockholders of the California Industrial Company will be held at the office of said corporation, at the corner of Fourth street and Santa Fe avenue, Los Angeles, county of Los Angeles, State of California, on Monday, January 20th, 1908, at the hour of 2 p.m., of said day, for the purpose of electing directors of said corporation for the year thence ensuing and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the meeting.

R. I. MERRILL, Secretary California Industrial Co. Los Angeles, Cal. January 8th, 1908. 19

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I WILL NOT BE RESPONSIBLE FOR debts contracted by my wife, on or since December 25, 1907. JOSEPH ESPITALLIER, La Ceres ave. 24

FREE DEMONSTRATION OF HARRIS'S Wonderful Velvet Cream; guaranteed to remove all impurities from the skin. Call at 307 S. BROADWAY, for free trial.

ON AND AFTER JANUARY 16 I WILL not be responsible for any debts contracted by my wife or any one else. BENJ. B. BAKER. 15

MRS. DAISY SPOTSWOOD HERBERT gives notice that she will not be responsible for any debts contracted by her husband H. G. HERBERT. 19

FOR SALE—BATH PARLORS AT 629½ S. BROADWAY. Can lease for six months, perhaps longer, cheap. 'Phone F1313. 19

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FEATHER PILLOWS RENOVATED AT ACME FEATHER WORKS, 753 San Pedro. 'Phone Sunset Main 1168, Home 3041.

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PERSONAL—Business.

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MME. ANNUVE, THE WONDERFUL PSYCHIC, 616 W. 7TH ST. SPECIAL READINGS, 50c. Before undertaking anything that may concern your future life, consult this gifted trance medium. Past, present and future given. Her readings are miraculous. Gives names, dates, business occupation. NEVER TAKES FEE IN ADVANCE. 18

PERSONAL—SAMUEL A. TERRY—Wanted information regarding Samuel H. Terry or his heirs; said Terry was last heard of at Wilmington, Los Angeles county, Cal., in 1885. Address R. E. JAMIESON, Detroit Savings Bank, Detroit, Mich. 21

PERSONAL—LADIES, USE DR. LA FRANco's Compound; safe, speedy regulator; 25c; druggists or mail; booklet and testimonial free. DR. LA FRANCO, Philadelphia, Pa.

PERSONAL—WANTED: WESS H. DE VOLL who is with Will Miller, to get registered letter from Los Angeles postoffice; to his interest. 19

PERSONAL—JOSEPH GREENE & CO., manufacturers of ladies' cloaks and suits, are now located at 730 S. BROADWAY. Suite 74.

PERSONAL — MANICURING, FACIAL treatments, electric and vibratory treatments for rheumatism and nervous ailments. 107 W. THIRD, room 4. 21

PERSONAL—MME. ORA, PALMIST, CARD reader; ladies, 25c; gents, 25c. 305½ S. Spring.

WANTED—Help, Male.

WANTED—CARPENTER AT 1024 E. SEVENTH ST., $2.50 per day. Bring saw and hammer. 15

WANTED — BRIGHT, CLEAN CUT BOY for office, $6 per week to commence. Address L, box 1, TIMES OFFICE. 20

WANTED — BOY TO SELL CANDY ON trains and in theater. S. W. BUELL, 130 N. Main st. 15

WANTED — YOUNG MAN TO DO SOME electric wiring on building. 'PHONE after 10 a.m. 18

WANTED—A-1 SALESMAN, ACQUAINTED with the city grocery trade. STETSON CO., 25 N. Avenue 20. 18

WANTED—HELPER IN TAILOR DEPARTment. CRAWFORD, 336-338 S. Hill.

WANTED—FIRST-CLASS MEAT BLOCK MAN. 1000 E. THIRD AVE.

WANTED—AN EXPERIENCED CLOTHING salesman. Apply at 336-338 S. MAIN ST. 18

WANTED—HOTEL RUNNER. JEFFRIES HACK, third floor, 324½ S. Spring. 19

WANTED—6 MEN AT ONCE, SOLICITING. Apply 457 E. NINTH ST. 15

WANTED—Help, Male.

Note—Applicants for positions are advised not to enclose original recommendations in answer to ads. Send duplicates only.

WANTED—

HUMMEL BROS. & CO., A strictly first-class agency. All kinds of help promptly furnished. Your orders solicited. 116 EAST SECOND STREET, Between Main and Los Angeles sts. Largest and best equipped offices on Pacific Coast.

SUNSET MAIN 569. HOME EXCHANGE 569.

Grade foreman, Calexico, $60 etc.; teamsters, Calexico, $1.75, free fare; window washer, steady, $2; ranch hands, $20 etc.; milkers, $35-$40 etc.

HOTEL DEPARTMENT.

Cold meat and salad man, city, $40; clerk, delicacy store, $9; shirt finisher, laundry, $18. 15

WANTED—DEPARTMENT STORE HELP. Thorough dress goods and silk salesman; one capable of taking charge of department and buying.

Competent domestic salesman for charge of department.

Competent boy's clothing salesman to take charge and do the buying.

Young man in fancy goods for assistant; must have experience in different lines of fancy goods.

Good, salary and permanent positions. Apply in person Sunday and Monday from 10 a.m. to 2 p.m. L. STOCK, Hollenbeck Hotel. 19

WANTED—JAPANESE—

HARRY NAKADO EMPLOYMENT AGENCY,

Oldest agency in the city. 207 E. SECOND ST., Los Angeles. HOME A4121. MAIN 2634.

We furnish cooks, waiters, porters and all kinds other first-class help.

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PACIFIC EMPLOYMENT BUREAU, Largest and most popular agency, 621 W. SIXTH st., Los Angeles, Cal. House cleaning department. Widow cleaning department. Chicago—Home 17076; Main 1174. General labor contractors. Every department insures responsibility. 21

WANTED — MASSEUR AND BATH ATtendant, one with good knowledge of the barber business preferred. Must be experienced and able to furnish first-class references. Address immediately, the CASTLE HOT SPRINGS COMPANY, Hot Springs, Ariz. 18

WANTED—GENERAL AGENT IN EVERY county in Nevada, Arizona and California to sell acres on installment. La Aurora Plantation in capitol Mexico; high class proposition. Write or call on MR. GREENE, 238 H. W. Hellman Bldg. 19

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WANTED — AN EXPERIENCED CUTTER for high-class merchant tailor; must have good reference. Address H, box 133, TIMES OFFICE. 20

WANTED — MAN WHO UNDERSTANDS work to be apiary. Address stating experience, etc. G. W. BERCAW, manager Alisa Apiary, San Juan Capistrano, Cal. 20

WANTED—MEN WHO ARE WILLING TO make $9 to $50 per week without interfering with their other positions. Address OA, box 124, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—THREE GOOD ADVERTISING men, good proposition; commission paid daily. Call 501 FROST BLDG. Ask for Groves.

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WANTED—TEACHER OF ALL COMMERcial subjects, young, unmarried, exemplary, and of high ideals. BOYNTON TEACHERS' AGENCY, 525 Stimson Blk. 19

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TO LET—STEAM-HEATED ROOMS and cold water; modern; handsomely furnished; most desirable location; reasonable. HOTEL MILTON, 1504½ S. Broadway.

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400 smooth, level acres, close to railroad, adjoining lands on which water has been developed at 15 to 20 feet, at $80 an acre, on annual crop terms. The finest grape and poultry locations.

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GO ON SUNDAY EXCURSION.

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BEAUMONT LAND & WATER CO.,
170 Mercantile Place, Los Angeles, Cal.
Please send me literature free regarding the bustling little city of Beaumont and the fruit land in same. Also state what rates you make from here.

Name .....

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The Owens River Water is Coming. Get Busy.

Twenty, 40, 160 or 320 acres of fine sandy soil, perfectly level; frostless, 100 inches of water, 800 ft. elevation; the survey for the new car line now being built crosses this property. Surrounded by peach, apricot, orange and lemon orchards. 120 acres of strawberries, 1000 acres of oranges, 2000 acres of corn, 1,000 acres of wheat, barley and oats, 2700 acres of olives in the middle of the property. This property will pay for itself in 2 seasons, planted to the following—potatoes, peas, corn, beans, tomatoes or onions; 12 miles of the city of Los Angeles. Price $125 per acre, 1-3 its actual value. If you mean business talk to me; I will show you. 5 per cent to the agent who sends me a buyer or 2½ per cent off to the buyer who comes to me. Owner, 2630 WEST PICO. Phone Bdwy or WEST 1691 19

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WHERE IS
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4 miles from the city, on two roads, 10 cents car fare.

SOIL.
So deep, rich and loamy.

WATER
Is from the Carmel Water Company, 4 shares of stock free with each acre.

CROPS.
Alfalfa, fruit and flowers.

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REMEMBER
If you wish some choice land near the city, 5 acres and up, call and see us.
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Both Phones. 18

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Only half a mile from the only electric railway running directly to the city market.

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The model town of little farms. Five and ten-acre ranches with water ownership and water piped to each farm.
The homemaker's greatest opportunity.

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Now forming, the Seventh Home Extension Colony. From 40 to 80 families joining to take over large tract of irrigable land and subdivide among themselves at low wholesale price on plan of Chaffey, Colony, Alpaugh, Waseo and Elysian Gardens formed by this society.

Not co-operative plant, but just solid, level-headed business arrangement. Stand for literature or call at these offices day or evening.

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10, 20 or 25 acres of fine level sandy loam soil, on Central ave., Burbank; only 11 miles from the Courthouse; this city, only 4 miles from Hollywood; surrounded by alfalfa and berry ranches, and in the midst of the finest farming land close to Los Angeles. This property will pay for itself in alfalfa in three years. If you are looking for a first-class ranch property, see this. Price only $225 per acre, with unlimited water at practically no cost.

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Six-room modern bungalow close to electric line; corner lot, 50x150 feet; $2000; restricted district; will take $500 cash and monthly payments for balance.
Would consider good lot well located up to $800 as first payment.
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FOR SALE — BEAUTIFUL BIG LOT IN East Hollywood, 56x271, lot (L) Wheeler tract, between Prospect ave. and Sunset blvd. on Rosetta st.; price $2000; bargain. Owner, FRED KROHN, 3624 Vernon ave., Chicago, Ill. 21

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High-grade 5-acre navel orange grove and home, 5 miles, 4½ years old; fine crop; beautiful fruit; best part Riverside district, close to town and street cars; ideal location; nearly new large 5-room house, electric lights, bath, lavatories, toilets, etc.; nothing lacking; in grove or house; owner's price $12,000 with crop; no agents, no trade. Address P.O. BOX 621, Riverside. 19

FOR SALE—A $14,000 ORANGE GROVE. FOR $7000, location is good, water almost free, place in fine condition, a genuine snap; must have money, get particulars, look at property, and be convinced. ROOM 229 LAUGHLIN BLDG. 18

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FOR SALE—5 ACRES BEARING ORANGE grove with crop; ample water stock. Part time. BOX "D," Corona, Cal.

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FOR EXCHANGE — $800; BEAUTIFULLY furnished, 5 rooms, fine house; rent $40, close in; will take vacant lot of equal value. D. H. LINGLE & CO., 457½ S. Broadway. 19

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FOR EXCHANGE—
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PHONE—MAIN 4177, A4235.

4 flats for exchange for ranch $6000
40x140 lot for rooming-house $1800
Store building for country property $3000
72 acres, in Indiana, for Cal. property $6000
5-room house, lot 80x165, for apartment-house $2500
35-room house, lot 80x150, furnished $13,000
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20 acres, improved, for property anywhere $6000
50-room lodging-house for lots $2500
42-room apartment house $6500
42-room lodging-house, city property $4000
14-room house for vacant lot $900
28-room hotel, fine corner, clears $600 ..... $75,000
165x140 corner; rent $400 ..... $7500
10 acres, Hollywood, improved $22,000
5-room cottage for rooming-house $2500
136-room apartment house $13,500
5 acres near city for acre of R.-E. $500
130 acres vineyard, city property $24,000
100-acre ranch, apartment house $2000

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FOR EXCHANGE—

A flourishing retail grocery business in Oakland, value $4500, that I can exchange for an equity in a home in Los Angeles, will assume $1200 or $1500.

40-acre improved ranch, near city and car line, want improved city, or will sell for very small payments and you can pay for the place out of the crops, value $11,000.

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Ex. 177. See MR. CARMER, with
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Have splendid income property in Boyle Heights to exchange for clear improved ranch near Los Angeles, not over $8000, and worth the money.

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A2344. Main 1264. 435 Stimson. 19

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If interested, see us quick.
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FOR EXCHANGE—OR SALE—BY OWNER, Value $3300; 9-room, 2-story house, "modern," located at 422 W. 28th st.; lot 6x132; lawn; fruit trees, etc.; mortgages $2000, held at bank; two notes; first one, $2500, run about 2 years at 6½ per cent.; second, $2000, run about 1½ years, 7 per cent.; must dispose of this property and will accept best offer received for equity; will assume if necessary; what have you to offer Call and see this place or address owner, and tell me what you have. M. S. GARTON, 422 W. 28th. 19

FOR EXCHANGE—

Beautiful residence in exclusive southwest, $7000; want from 1 to 5 acres towards the foothills, close to car line.

Corner lot 1 block from Ocean, 200 feet from Craig Ship Building Works, in built-up portion of Long Beach; price $1500 together with $500 cash to exchange for small rooming-house. A4691. AMBROSE L. HAMELL CO., Main 5547. Suite 536-547 Douglas Bldg.

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$500—Good lot in Wilmington, for what have you?

$6500—Lovely residence in Highland Park; want Long Beach.

$3000—5-acre chicken ranch near city; want cottage.
SIMMONS & SIMMONS, 538 S. Broadway.
'Phone A3305. 18

FOR EXCHANGE—
Have a good five-room cottage, rented for $16.50 a month, near 54th and San Pedro, value $2000. Will exchange $1200 equity for good clear property.

CAL GRAYSON, with
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Main 3940. 415 Union Trust Bldg.
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FOR EXCHANGE—CLEAR INCOME PROPerty, from $2500 to $12,000, for clear improved or unimproved, part and balance mortgage for bonds at 6 per cent.

Will build to suit purchaser for clear lot in part, rest easy monthly payments. See owner, CHARLES BIXON, R., 305 L. A. Trust Bldg. 19

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FOR EXCHANGE—A COMPLETE ORANGE packing-house at Riverside, leased for 5 years at $600 per year; cash price, $6000, clear; owner wants a modern home in Los Angeles, west or southwest; will add some cash, say $1000 to $2500. I want to trade NOW, not NEXT YEAR. J. A. KING, room 1, Lyon Block, Riverside. Both 'phones. 22

FOR EXCHANGE—NEARLY NEW ROOMing-house, 22 rooms; modern, paying $150 per month; rent cheap; finest location; near Arcade Depot; make an offer and state what you have in trade or cash. 461 RUTH AVE. 19

FOR EXCHANGE — 120-ACRE IMPROVED farm, near Bemidji, Minn., mostly timber, cheap buildings, good neighborhood; price $3500, clear, want modern 6-room residence in Los Angeles or vicinity; might assume; give street number and full details, if it suits I'll call. Address G, box 20, TIMES OFFICE. 21

FOR EXCHANGE—$10,000; MORTGAGE $4000, 7 per cent., ten acres at Palms, high and sightly; will take ranch and assume; eastern city and assume; what have you? Speak up; want to trade NOW. WM. N. HOLWAY, 211 Grant Bldg. A1939. 19

FOR EXCHANGE—3 NEW, MODERN, 6-room bungalows, 49th near San Pedro, choice $3500. Want vacant lot, automobile or diamonds up to $1000, balance easy. WILSON, owner, 307 Grant Bldg. A3464, Main 6178. Residence 1208. 19

FOR EXCHANGE—160 ACRES, ROLLING prairie land; eastern South Dakota, on creek. Price $2500, clear. Want neat, modern residence in Los Angeles or suburban towns. Deeds fully. Owner in city; might assume. Address G, box 65, TIMES OFFICE. 20

FOR EXCHANGE—
80 beautiful lots, covered with 7-year-old lemon trees, almost 20 acres; land worth $30,000 and clear; want Los Angeles property.
COCHRAN, 218-219 P. E. Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE — CITY, SUBURBAN, country, northern and eastern properties; what have you? What do you want? LA MONT, room 117, 324 S. Broadway. A3825. 19

FOR EXCHANGE — SAN FRANCISCO, splendid dwelling, worth $20,000; would lease for $1800 a year; want city, Riverside or San Diego residence. LA MONT, ROOM 117, 324 S. Broadway. 19

FOR EXCHANGE—HANDSOME NEW MISsion business block at Ramona Park; price $12,000. Good location for stores. Will exchange for orange grove or city property. ALTHOUSE BROS., 420 S. Broadway. 20

FOR EXCHANGE—GROCERY STORE, FINest location in city, for house and lot for country property. Call ROOM 4, 214½ South Broadway. 19

FOR EXCHANGE— Real Estate.

FOR EXCHANGE—BUSINESS PROPERTY to the value of $40,000 for 200 lots, clear; bear the city; would assume $10,000 to $12,000. BROADWAY LAND CO., 419 Mason Bldg. F1302. 19

FOR EXCHANGE—FINE 10-ROOM HOUSE and lot on Pacific ave., San Francisco, bordering Presidio, with bay view, for orange grove; equity $14,000. CARROLL B. SMITH, Redlands, Cal. 21

FOR EXCHANGE — WILL TAKE A-1 piano and some cash for my $1600 equity in 5 acres of fine soil in Strawberry Park, near electric car line. Address K, box 151, TIMES OFFICE. 19

FOR EXCHANGE — MY EQUITY IN SIX-room bungalow, Hobart blvd., and equity in Hollywood lots for six-room cottage in East Hollywood, South Pasadena or Colegrove. Address K, box 162, TIMES OFFICE. 20

FOR EXCHANGE—
I make a specialty of exchanging real estate, particularly California for eastern.
Member L. A. C. W. CONWAY,
Realty Board. 304-5 Bradbury Bldg.

FOR EXCHANGE—320 ACRES OF UNIMproved land in the Imperial Valley; can get water soon; price $5 an acre; mortgage $800; long time; will take clear lot for equity. Address K, box 153, TIMES OFFICE. 19

FOR EXCHANGE — FURNITURE AND lease of good hotel, close in; now full; if you want a hotel and have a good city or suburban property or acreage, call and see agent, BEAL, 619 Security Bldg.

REAL ESTATE— Unclassified.

FOR SALE—OR TRADE, REAL ESTATE, lots, business property, rooming-houses a specialty; list your property with us and it will receive prompt attention. Call on or address MRS. VILLA WALSH AND MISS WAIT, office 434 S. Hill. Phone Home F7614, Broadway 7479. 19

FOR SALE— Miscellaneous.

FOR SALE — CHEAP, ALL OR PART OF fine store fixtures and showcases, suitable for jeweler, optician, dental, surgical or phot. supplies, etc. MARSHUTZ, 122 S. Spring.

FOR SALE—OR EXCHANGE FOR REAL estate, the following stock, consisting of electric motors, belting, pulleys, ammonia malleable and common fittings, pipe drill, press forge, pipe threading machine, wrenches, tools and fixtures. Address K, box 61, TIMES OFFICE. 19

FOR SALE—
DESKS FOR LESS.
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Office furniture is our specialty. Don't buy before seeing our stock. L. A. DESK EXCHANGE, 156 N. Main, opposite The Times.

FOR SALE—MUST CLOSE OUT OUR SUGAR pine doors before next car comes. See our line of sash, doors for $2.50 before you buy. Also 100 four and twelve light windows that must go if prices will sell them. BUILDERS' SUPPLY CO., 720 San Fernando st., 2043 Andrew st.

FOR SALE—SAFES AND VAULT DOORS; 2 MORE CARLOADS JUST RECEIVED; FINE ASSORTMENT OF SIZES, ETC. LARGEST STOCK IN THE CITY. THE CHENEY-WEST CO., 234-238 S. LOS ANGELES ST. A4681, MAIN 4681.

FOR SALE — CHICKERING PIANO, VERY elaborate rosewood case, will sacrifice at less than half price, splendid design; built to order, good as new. 1315 NEW ENGLAND AVE. 19

FOR SALE—PIANO; AM COMPELLED TO sell my upright piano at a snap price; very high-grade instrument. 531 SAN PEDRO ST. 19

FOR SALE — PIANO; FINE UPRIGHT piano; standard make; in best of condition. Snap for immediate buyer. Call at once, 1029 ORANGE ST. 19

FOR SALE — 10,000 SACKS LEAF MOLD, fine fertilizer for lawns, flowers and potted plants, $1 per sack, of 100 lbs. PHONE F7432.

FOR SALE—SHOWCASES, CASH REGISters, store fixtures. We buy and sell

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WITH OVER $200,000 YEARLY; INVESTMENT IN A PROFITABLE RANCH, 320 MILES SOUTH OF CHICAGO, 16,000 ACRES, WITH 4000 ADDITIONAL CAPITAL IS NEEDED; STOCK AND PAT OFF DEBTS; ARE PREPARED TO SHOW; LIBERAL TERMS AND OPTION GUARANTEE TO INVESTIGATE. L. BOX 1, TIMES OFFICE.

RESPONSIBLE MAN WANTED; die Dealer's old Wauke... brewery bottling; the brewing since 1857; no cash ... necessary; does not interfere ... else or local interests. W. ... Emmert Tonks, the ... Emmert Building, ... service. A small investment will not yet you start in ... lucrative territory; ... WAUKEGAN BREWING CO.

VAPE—For Sale, Big and Little.

SUNDAY REAL ESTATE ... [illegible] ... mortgage $15,000; ... [illegible] ... at Corona; want Los ... [illegible] ... VI, in good condition; ... [illegible] ... 1 good lot; want automobile, ... [illegible] ... mahogany piano, ... [illegible] ... diamonds; want mahog... [illegible] ... MERCHANTS' Trust Co.

EXCHANGE — WILL TRADE $1500 ... furniture and household ... [illegible] ... diamonds, lots, auto ... [illegible] ... bill of sale to about $500 ... improvements. This is certainly ... opportunity for an assorted ... investment; must be sold ... K, box 25, TIMES OFFICE.

HARDWARE — MANUFACTURING ... [illegible] ... clear profit; ... [illegible] ... Inventigate. Address K, ... TIMES OFFICE.

HARDWARE, MEAT MARKET, ... CERY COMBINED. ... This fine combination is ... [illegible] ... Los Angeles; ... twenty years; operated with ... [illegible] ... place in town; monthly receipts ... [illegible] ... Address K, box 79, TIMES ...

HOUSE FOR AUTOMO... [illegible] ... new and up to ... [illegible] ... $1875. PATTON, ...

HAVE AN ESTABLISH... (general line) outside city ... [illegible] ... cheap, taxes nothing to speak ... in good running order, ... [illegible] ... Address K, box 79, ...

HARNESS—HAVE INCUBATOR, ... [illegible] ..., delivery; part or all ... [illegible] ... Inquire 714 BREED.

HOUSE—WHAT YOU WANT AND ... [illegible] ... have and trade it for ... [illegible] ... McDONALD, 125 Stimson Bldg.

HARNESS—20 SHARES PASADENA ... [illegible] ... Company stock to trade for ... [illegible] ... stock; selling at $1.25. ... TIL 10 OFFICE, Pasadena.

HARNESS — 4-ROOM COTTAGE ... [illegible] ... city; must be sold; ... [illegible] ... Address K, box 79, TIMES ...

HOUSE, 2 COLUMBUS SURREY, ... [illegible] ... to trade with me. Address K, ... [illegible] ... W. Seventh st., Pasad...

WANTED—GOOD CARRIAGE FOR ... [illegible] ... horse. 239 W. 5TH.

MONEY TO LOAN—

In Sums to Suit.

DO YOU [illegible] NEED MONEY?

Then see us. We have cash on hand at all times to loan on furniture, pianos, automobiles, salaries, storage receipts, diamonds, etc., at the lowest rates ever offered.

The following payments pays both interest and principal:

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See us if you need any money, and we will convince you that our methods are right.

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We loan from $1 up to $2000 on furniture, pianos, diamonds, watches, jewelry, life insurance policies, stock, or any other kind of security; reference by two banks; low rates; easy terms; confidential; loans can be paid on easy payments. U. S. LOAN CO., 410 Mason Operahouse Bldg. A'mil. Broadway 1626.

WE WILL BUY SAVINGS BANK ACcounts of the Security Savings Bank and German-American Savings Bank in amounts from $1000 to $10,000, for which we pay cash; must be in amounts from $1000 to $5000 at reasonable rates. Phones. SHOTHERTON & BENEDICT, P4916. 522 Security Bldg. Broadway 3261.

TO LOAN — WE HAVE $500 TO $10,000 TO loan on good first mortgage security at current interest rates. E. B. VAN HORNE AND CO., Nos. 108-109 Grant Bldg. A3181. Main 854.

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QUICK LOANS ON FURNITURE, PIANOS, DIAMONDS, salaries, mortgages, contracts; no publicity; money ready same day we decide; terms and all the time you want, or can repay as convenient, reducing interest. CLARK & CO., 251 Security Bldg. 130 S. Spring st. 'Phone F7191. Main 6805.

TO LOAN—MONEY LOANED TO SALARIED people just on your own name; no other security necessary; don't borrow until you see me; my system is the best for railroad men, clerks, book-keepers, street car men, and all other employees; business strictly confidential. NEWTON, 708 O. T. Johnson Bldg.

MONEY LOANED DIAMONDS, JEWELRY, pianos, mortgages, contracts, etc. Diamond loans a specialty. Loan per cent money than rates, prompt; private rooms; bank references; established 5 years. H. T. REID & CO., 143 S. Broadway, suite 125. A1258, Bdwy., 2268.

TO LOAN—MONEY LOANED ON REAL ESTATE at 7 per cent.
On first mortgage, 3 years.
Prompt appraisement and liberal valuation.
Building loans made and mortgages bought.
JONES & RYDER LAND CO.,
218 W. Third st.

TO LOAN — MONEY; ON HOUSEHOLD, rooming and apartment house furniture; pianos, diamonds, live stock and personal property; new methods, fair dealings, best terms. Large loans a specialty. ASSN, Main 2129. ROOM 6, Orpheum Bldg., 227 South Spring. CLAPPER.

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On Collaterals.

WANTED — $500 COLLATERAL, FIRST-class thorough investigation invited; will pay $600 in sixty days. LA MONT, room 117, 254 S. Broadway.

WANTED—$2500 ON EIGHT ACRES, JUST outside city limits, easily worth $10,000; will pay liberally for immediate action. LA MONT, room 117, 254 S. Broadway.

WANTED—$1000 ON A NEW HOUSE IN the southwest for three years. TYLER & CO., owners, 08 S. Broadway.

WANTED—$500 TO $30,000 ON IMPROVED close-in city property. T. WIESENDANGER, room 211, 27 S. Broadway.

WANTED—$1000; 3 YEARS; 8 PER CENT. net; gilt-edge loan; city realty. J. STEELE & CO., 224 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

$1500 AT 10 PER CENT. ON PRODUCING property worth over $5000. 610 GROSSE BLDG.

WANTED—A LOAN OF $2500 OR $3000. CAN offer gilt edge security. L. S. READ, 124 W. 6th st.

WANTED — $2000 FOR ONE YEAR ON HANDSOME WESTLAKE HOME, WORTH $15,000. 307 GRANT BLDG. A6446.

WANTED—$2000. SECURITY, $50,000 INCOME property. Address 32 ELM, Long Beach, Cal.

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$500 AND $10,000.

LOS ANGELES INVESTMENT CO.,
327 S. HILL ST.
Capital and surplus $1,225,000.00.

WANTED—MONEY—
$500—3 years, 7 per cent. net on close in property, value $10,000.
$1000—3 years, 10 per cent. net, on 20 acres, value $2500.
$1500—3 years, 8 per cent. net, on swell home, value $6000.
$2500—5 years, 7 per cent. net, on $12,000 home.
$2500—3 years, 8 per cent. net, on $6000, close in corner.
$2500—3 years, 8 per cent. net, on $5000 FLAT BUILDING, Pasadena.
$3000—3 years, 8 per cent. net, on swell 10-room residence, valued at $8000.
$3500—EIGHTEEN per cent. net on property recently sold for $25,000.
$10,000—2 years, 8 per cent. net, on close in corner and a fine residence. Total value $32,000. Income $150 per month.
MOYER & GILBERT, 613 Frost Bldg. Home Phone A6827; Main 5474.

WANTED—MONEY—
$5000 or $10,000, 3 or 5 years, 8 per cent., improved property, renting $150 per month; Nadeau Park tract, S.W.
$1650—Mortgage, 2 per cent., 2 years to run; improved property on New Hampshire near San Marino; insurance $2000; value $3000.
$500—Mortgage, 5 per cent., 3 or 5 years, improved property on Hobson near 9th st. car line.
S. B. BARNETT & CO., 320 H. W. Hellman Bldg. Phones A and Main 5205.

WANTED—WHY DON'T YOU MAKE THE money work for you and not work for the money? Why don't you put your money out at 10 and 7 per cent. on real estate mortgages which are better than having the gold in the bank. If you want some good snaps at no cost to you communicate with me. Address K, box 183, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—
SOMETHING SOLID IN FINANCE.
Call in the BOND DEPARTMENT of the COLUMBIA TRUST COMPANY, 311 West Third street, and learn of the unusual opportunity for obtaining the best returns for your investment.

$1000 TO $10,000 WANTED—
If you have $1000 or more that is earning less than 8 per cent. let us hear from it for you at this rate on high class mortgages.
S. H. MINEST & CO., 320 H. W. Hellman Bldg. Phones Main and A 5205.

WANTED—$2000 FOR MORTGAGE, $10,000, due one year, security improved property, Ninth and South Flower, value $13,000. Wanted $1000, interest 8 per cent. quarterly, new 7-room bungalow, nice lot, good location. GEORGE TAYLOR, 327 Byrne Bldg., 3rd and Broadway.

WANTED—$2500, TWO YEARS, 10 PER cent. interest, payable quarterly. first mortgage on 5 acres, between Main and Monroe, worth $1250 an acre, total value $10,000, close in; property unquestionable security. JAMES THOMPSON, 208 West First.

WANTED—$25,000 AT 6 PER CENT. NET, 1 to 3 years on $150,000; income business property. Only principals. Address K, box 17, TIMES OFFICE.

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WANTED—TO SELL SECOND MORTGAGE for $600 due June 1, well secured on high-class improved beach residence property; will discount 10 per cent. for prompt cash. JAMES MENZIES, 222 Byrne Bldg.

WANTED—HAVE TWO GOOD LOANS, $1600, 3 per cent. net on house and lot worth $4000; also want $1600 on house and lot worth $2500, 3 per cent. net. See CRIBB & SINCLAIR, 119 S. Broadway.

WANTED—WANT THIS LOAN TODAY; $800 for 6 months on real estate and chattel security, value $1600; $120 for its use; $25 commission if loan is made today. Call 620 BRYSON BLDG. Main 9667.

WANTED — LOAN THIS MORNING, $500, for 3 months, at 5 per cent. monthly, on $2500 security; no commission if this loan is made this morning. Call 620 BRYSON BLDG. Main 9667.

WANTED—MONEY—FOR SALE: $2400, 1ST mortgage, 7 per cent., 3 years to run. If taken quick will discount $100. Security gilt edge. ARTHUR W. KINNEY CO., 1161 Mer. Trust Bldg. A3261; Main 8222.

WANTED—OF PRIVATE PARTIES, DESIRing to loan few thousand dollars, on second security, high rate of interest. See WILLIAMS at once. Room 516, 630 South Broadway.

FOR SALE—TWO FIRST MORTGAGES, one for $2000, secured by $15,000; the other for $1000, secured by $10,000. Address P. W. RUSSELL, 215 Green ave.

WANTED—$2000, ONE LOAN LEFT, WANT $2000 on new house, Halldale avenue, 2 per cent. Won't pay extravagant rate. WM. M. HOLWAY, 251 Grant Bldg. A1939.

WANTED—$1500 FOR 1 YEAR, ON PROPERty between Main and Grand ave., close in; ample security, 8 per cent. paid. Call 744 WEST 16TH ST.

WANTED—WE CAN PLACE YOUR MONEY promptly on good city or country property; first class terms on close-in dwelling property. CHAS. L. HUBBARD CO., 722-4 Security Bldg.

WANTED—$5000 FOR 6 MONTHS OR MORE at 3 per cent. monthly; security 50,000 shares A-1 stock, never sold below par. Call P7230.

WANTED—MONEY—
Have loan $6000 on $60,000 close-in income property. Do you want it at 8 per cent.? If so call CLAPPER, A6365, Main 3298.

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We loan from $1 up to $2000 on furniture, pianos, diamonds, watches, jewelry, life insurance policies, stock, or any other kind of security; reference by two banks; low rates; easy terms; confidential; loans can be paid on easy payments. U. S. LOAN CO., 410 Mason Operahouse Bldg. A'mil. Broadway 1626.

WE WILL BUY SAVINGS BANK ACcounts of the Security Savings Bank and German-American Savings Bank in amounts from $1000 to $10,000, for which we pay cash; must be in amounts from $1000 to $5000 at reasonable rates. Phones. SHOTHERTON & BENEDICT, P4916. 522 Security Bldg. Broadway 3261.

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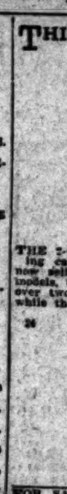
THINGS ON WHEELS—

All Sorts.

AUTOMOBILES.



THE 2-CYLINDER BUICK, 22-H.P. TOURing car, with top and full equipment, is now selling for $1250. We have a few 1907 models, the same as we have been selling for over two years at $1500, which we will sell while they last for $1200.
WESTERN MOTOR CAR CO.,
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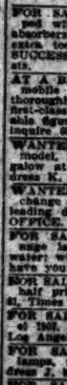


FOR SALE—1908 POPE-TOLEDO EQUIPped with Gabriel horn, speedometer, shock absorbers, top, Prest-o-lite tank, search light, extra tools and tires. First-class condition. SUCCESS AUTOMOBILE CO., Pico and Hill sts. 21

AT A BIG SNAP, A 5-PASSENGER AUTOmobile for sale. This car has just been thoroughly gone over and is in absolutely first-class repair. Will sell at a very reasonable figure if taken at once. For particulars inquire 608 S. SPRING ST.

WANTED—AN AUTOMOBILE, 1907 OR 1908 model, in exchange for a modern $4000 bungalow at Hollywood, as part payment. Address K, box 23, TIMES OFFICE. 19

WANTED—AUTO, RUNABOUT IN EXchange for high-grade dentistery, by a leading dentist. Address G, box 11, TIMES OFFICE. 20

FOR SALE—10 ACRES OF VACANT ORange land, at $200, all pipes and plenty water; will take car as part payment. What have you? BOX 211, Covina, Cal. 20

FOR SALE—POPE-WAVERLY CHELSEA AT half price; practically new, OWNER, box 61, Times Office, Pasadena. 19

FOR SALE—6-H.P. THOMAS AUTO, MODel 1907. W. H. OBEAR, 409 Johnson Bldg., Los Angeles, Cal.

FOR SALE — 4-CYLINDER CADILLAC, tamous, top, tools, and good as new. Address J, box 48, TIMES OFFICE. 19

FOR SALE—MODEL K CADILLAC, A1 condition; lamps, tools, and cheap for cash. Address J, box 135, TIMES OFFICE. 19

FOR SALE—LITTLE SIX STEVENS-DURrant, runabout, 600 miles, fully guaranteed. SUCCESS AUTO CO., Pico and Hill. 21

BICYCLES.

INVALID CHAIRS FOR RENT. EAMES TRICYCLE CO., 1023 San Pedro st. Phone.

BUGGIES, PHAETONS, RUNABOUTS.

FOR SALE—USEFUL SURREY AND USEful top buggy, cheap. 420 E. ADAMS ST.

HARNESS AND SADDLES.

FOR SALE—A DOUBLE SET OF HARness, as good as new. Phone South 1794. Apply 754 E. 16TH.

LIVE STOCK FOR SALE—

Horses, Cattle, Mules, Etc.

FOR SALE—20 HEAD DAIRY COWS; AUCtion at 2 o'clock p.m., Monday, January 20, 2222 DOWNEY AVE., East Los Angeles. Holsteins, Durhams and Jerseys, large milkers, good condition, 12 now fresh with calves by their sides, balance fresh in a few days. Removed for convenience of sale to above location from the Hill Top Ranch. Having sold my business I am closing out my entire herd and will positively sell every animal to the highest bidder without reserve. Terms cash. LANGDON, owner. RHOADES & BROADES, auctioneers, office 320-322 S. Main. Phone F1293; Main 1293.

FOR SALE—ONE TEAM OF IRON GRAY horses, weight about 2700 pounds, 5 years old, sound, gentle and true to pull; one team of bay horses, weight 2800, price $240 for team; suitable for ranch work; one nice bay horse, weight 1200, 7 years old, suitable for family or any other work; 2 good cheap horses, weight 1300 each, suitable for express or ranch work. Call at 439 MAPLE AVE., or 'Phone P7918.

FOR SALE — A GOOD CHEAP TEAM OF work horses, weight 2500 lbs., these horses are sound in every way and true pullers; price $140, for the team; 2 good all-purpose horses, 7 years old, weight 1150 lbs. Good to work single or double. Call at 439 MAPLE AVE. 'Phone P7918.

FOR SALE—OR TRADE: BAY MARE, 950 lbs., 7 years old, fine animal; two seated buggy and harness, have no use for outfit; would take milk cow as part pay or trade for cheap lot, close in. 130 N. AVE. 60 East 7th.

FOR SALE—YOUR CHOICE OF BROAD new top buggy and canopy top surrey; leather lined, high grade, at cost; also fine black surrey mare and one sorrel mare for $60; will guarantee. 211 EAST 8TH ST.

FOR SALE—TEAM OF YOUNG HORSES, 7 and 7 years old; new wagon and hack; also and farming implements. Take Redondo car, Strawberry Park division, get off at Burke Station. House 2 blocks south on corner. 19

FOR SALE—GOOD ALL-PURPOSE HORSE 980 lbs., 9 years old; free driver; will sell cheap or trade with another horse to use on peddling wagon. N.E. corner 27TH ST. AND NORMANDIE AVE.

FOR SALE—12 HEAD OF HORSES, WEIGHing from 900 to 1600 pounds each; one good matched team, weight 2600 pounds, prices right. Call to W. R. MURPHY, sales stables, 752 Santee st.

FOR SALE—FINE YOUNG MARE, GOOD appearance; gentle, well broke; anyone can ride or drive; also light top buggy and phaeton. 734 BONNIE BRAE ST. Phone E1909.

FOR SALE — SADDLE PONIES, GENTLE horses for children, peak horses and pack ponies. PONY SALES STABLES, 321 S. Raymond ave. Pasadena.

FOR SALE—A fine FRESH JERSEY-HOLstein, gives 6 gallons rich milk; must sell $75. MRS. JOHN LAFFERTY, 2815 Benner st. Phone East 827.

FOR SALE — BLACK HORSE, BUSINESS delivery, harness; 2 cheap horses, farm wagon and double harness; express wagon and cart. 721 SAN PEDRO.

FOR SALE—YOUR CHOICE OF TWO FINE fresh cows; young and gentle; cheap. 2726 VERMONT AVE.

FOR SALE—BROWN MARE, 1000 Lbs., fat; buggy and harness; all $75. 612 EAST SEVENTH.

FOR SALE—GOOD LIVERY HORSE. 207 S. MAIN ST.

FOR SALE—FRESH COW, ALSO HORSE and express wagon. MAIN 4144.

FOR SALE — FINE MARE, CHEAP; weight 1400. Inquire 1661 E. 48TH ST. 24

LIVE STOCK FOR SALE—

Poultry, Birds, Dogs, Etc.

FOR SALE — YOUNG CHICKENS AND eggs for setting; 3 different breeds, thoroughbred stock; special price per hundred. RED FEATHER POULTRY FARM, Huntington Park. Phone B2603.

FOR SALE—200 1 YEAR OLD LAYING hens, White and Brown Leghorns, Black Minorcas, Buff Orpingtons; will let go reasonable if taken at once. Call 2428 S. 32ND ST.

FOR SALE—A YOUNG THOROUGHBRED Cocker Spaniel, fine; about 8 months old. Call forenoons, 823 FANNING ST., Hollywood car.

FOR SALE—SOME FINE YOUNG LAYING hens, Silver-pencilled Wyandottes, Light Brahmas and Blue Andalusians. 2202 UNION AVE., or 'phone West 4491.

FOR SALE—PEDIGREE YOUNG HOUSE trained Boston Terrier, cheap if taken at once. Address K, box 22, TIMES OFFICE.

FOR SALE—SOME FINE BLACK POLISH roosters, at 1932 SHATTO ST. Call Sunday, Tel. E2544.

FOR SALE—CYPHERS MODEL INCUBATOR, perfect working order, 220-egg capacity, $30. CURRY, Beall, Cal.

FOR SALE—HIGH-BRED POINTER PUP; best in the city. Apply 1250 PENN. AVE., Boyle Hts.

EDUCATIONAL—

Schools, Colleges, Private Tuition

PRIVATE TUTOR, NORMAL SCHOOL teacher, takes advanced and lower-grade pupils; best references. MRS. M. C. COLVER, Hotel Cumberland. Both phones.

INSTRUCTION IN MODELING BY COMPEtent teacher; classes or private. For terms address C. H. HANSEN, P. O. box 124, Station C.

PRIVATE TUTOR. COLLEGE TEACHER, takes college, preparatory and lower-grade pupils; best references. F. F. BRIGGS, Tel. F2750.

SPANISH OR FRENCH SPOKEN IN THREE months. Simplified method. P.O. BOX 449.

DENTISTS—

And Dental Parlors.

DR. BACHMAN, FORMERLY MINNEapolis dentist, permanently located at 308-9 O. T. JOHNSON BLDG., corner Fourth and Broadway.

LIVE STOCK WANTED—

Of Various Kinds.

WANTED — THOROUGHBRED CHICKENS, Barred Rocks, White Leghorns or Andalusians in exchange for Victor talking machine and over 200 records; fine outfit; would take good incubator as part; also brooder. BOX 443, Station C, Los Angeles.

WANTED—TEAM, HARNESS AND WAGon; have note for $265, and clear lots; will give good trade. Call or address WM. ALEXANDER, Huntington Park.

WANTED—SOUND AND GENTLE CARriage horse, weight about 1200 lbs. Call HOME PHONE E7284.

WANTED—FOR CASH: GOOD YOUNG team horses, camp wagon; no clogs. Call 243 RUTH AVE.

WANTED—HORSE AND LIGHT RIG FOR the keep for few months. Address 2202 W. 25TH ST. Phone West 2091.

WANTED—GOOD TEAM OF HORSES OR mules, 1200 lbs., harness and wagon. Address K, box 148, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—GOOD TEAM OF YOUNG mares; must be broke. Address K, box 158, TIMES OFFICE.

WANTED—2 OR 4 PACK BURROS. CALL at 304 CHAMBER COMMERCE BLDG.

WANTED—ALL KINDS OF FAT STOCK. PHONE SOUTH 5499.

LOST, FOUND, STRAYED—

And Stolen.

LOST—FROM 2151 WEST 21ST, CHILD'S pet Fox Terrier, white body, head marked brown; had no collar on. Answers to name Bob. Finder please phone F. W. JOHNSON, B4124. Reward.

LOST—ON MAIN STREET, FROM FIRST to Fifth and then Spring to Third, or Westlake car, a double violet pin with diamond drop; reward; please ring up MAIN 2344; HOME E1892.

LOST — GOLD BROOCH, INITIALS ON back, "M. E. U., ninth month and 13th day, '05." Finder return CATALINA HOTEL. Reward.

LOST—LADY'S GOLD WATCH IN VICINITY 6th and Broadway. Call or phone after 4:30, 2614 W. WASHINGTON. Phone B2664. Reward.

LOST—GOLD THIMBLE, INITIALS M. E. R. Wednesday afternoon in waiting-room P. E. depot, or Bullocks' Dept. Store. 'PHONE SOUTH 2444.

LOST—BLACK POCKETBOOK ON STREET, containing cards, etc., in Bryon Upholstered Furniture Co. Return 1036 S. MAIN. Reward.

LOST—GOLD OPEN-FACE WATCH, WITH chain, on Vermont, between Temple and Fourth cars. Finder will be rewarded. Address T. MARION, letter carrier, Station P.

LOST — IN OR NEAR FIRST NATIONAL Bank, some glasses with a broken chain. Return to 2020 JASMINE ST. Reward for trouble.

LOST—OR STRAYED; A RED AND WHITE Angora cat. Return to 2261 THOMPSON ST. and receive reward. West 36, 24473.

LOST—A BANK BOOK CONTAINING FOUR passbooks from st. and First National Bank. Reward if returned to 1204 S. HILL.

LOST — STRAYED FROM SEVENTH AND Anderson, one bay mule; been clipped; weight about 900. 'PHONE BOYLE 2062.

LOST—ON SAN PEDRO, BETWEEN 2ND and 6TH, baby's gold watch. Return to 423 S. 2ND. Reward.

LOST — GOLD ENGRAVED BRACELET, keepsake. Liberal reward if returned to 704 E. 28TH ST.

LOST—ON UNIVERSITY CAR, A ROLL OF music. Finder will be rewarded on return to W. A. CLARK, JR., 702 W. Adams.

LOST—ELKS' WATCH CHARM, REWARD. Return GROVER STEINAKER, 835 Bunker blvd.

LOST—LADY'S GOLD SIGNET RING, WITH small diamond setting; initials E. R. Finder return 714 WALL ST., receive reward.

LOST—BROWN MARE, ABOUT 850 LBS., white face, last Monday. ANDREW TAURE, Station L, Los Angeles.

FOUND—YOUR MISSING ARTICLES LOcated; no fee unless successful. Phone A4179.

LOST—BUNCH OF KEYS. RETURN TO HOTEL ANTLERS.

MINING—

FOR SALE—ST AN ESTATE, DEVELOPED and equipped, free-milling gold mine, consisting of 24 full claims. For particulars inquire of C. B. DEXTER, 421 H. W. Hellman Bldg.

THE BEST TUNGSTEN PROPOSITION ever offered in Los Angeles; price right; act now. Address K, box 136, TIMES OFFICE.

EXPERIENCED MINING MAN DESIRES engagement; reliable and can fill any responsible position; references. Address K, box 85, TIMES OFFICE.

CLAWSON & GILLINGHAM, MINING ENgineers, examinations, reports and ASSAYING. Rate of Copper Queen Cln. M. Co. Both 'phones 4 311-312 LANKERSHIM BLDG.

FOR SALE — FINEST EQUIPPED ONYX quarries on Coast, on terms; samples at office. A. A. IRISH, 902 Grosse Bldg.

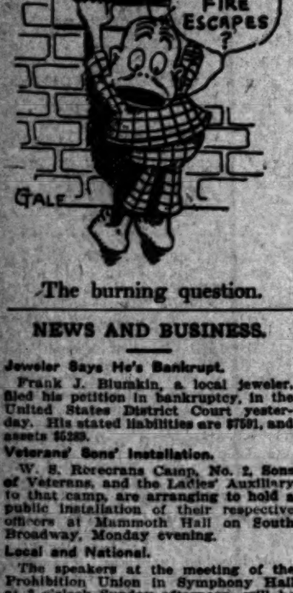
RELIABLE ASSAYS, CORRECT CHEMICAL determinations. WALKER, 311 W. First.

WE PAY GOLD COIN FOR BULLION AND ores. IRVING & CO., 128 N. Main st.

GOVERNMENT LANDS—

And

THE CITY IN BRIEF



The burning question.

NEWS AND BUSINESS.

Jeweler Says He's Bankrupt.

Frank J. Blumkin, a local jeweler, filed his petition in bankruptcy, in the United States District Court yesterday. His stated liabilities are $7591, and assets $6289.

Veterans' Sons' Installation.

W. S. Rerecrans Camp, No. 2, Sons of Veterans, and the Ladies' Auxiliary to that camp, are arranging to hold a public installation of their respective officers at Mammoth Hall on South Broadway, Monday evening.

Local and National.

The speakers at the meeting of the Prohibition Union in Symphony Hall at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon, will be M. W. Atwood and C. E. Yerge. The latter will speak on the local situation, and Mr. Atwood from the national standpoint.

Arrested as a "Jumper."

Charles Cookson was arrested last night on the charge of jumping a board bill, on a complaint made by Mrs. S. B. McQuiston of No. 544 South Olive street. It is alleged that Cookson owed Mrs. McQuiston $10, and in her absence packed his trunk and left.

Injunction Denied.

Judge Wellborn in the United States Circuit Court yesterday denied the application of Herbert Sibbert of New York for an injunction restraining the Trinidad Mining Company from making payment to certain of the stockholders, and the bill was dismissed.

Seeking Three Portraits.

The public library is very desirous to secure portraits of three of its first librarians—J. C. Littlefield, who held the office from 1872 to 1879; Patrick Connolly, librarian from 1879 to 1890, and Lydia A. Prescott, who served in 1889, and asks that any one who has photographs or other portraits of these early librarians, loan them to the library to be reproduced for the files. The originals will be carefully preserved and immediately returned, says the librarian.

Suburban School Closed.

The Ramona school, which is on the Colegrove car line, about seven blocks west of Vermont avenue, was closed yesterday morning at 8 o'clock, and the children sent home, owing to the prevalence of scarlet fever and diphtheria in the neighborhood. There are nine or ten cases of fever, and several cases of diphtheria, and at a meeting of the trustees Thursday night, it was decided to close the school yesterday. It may be opened Monday.

M. and M. Meeting-Dinner.

The annual meeting and dinner of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association to be held at Levy's Monday night, promises to be well attended. The dinner will commence at 6 o'clock. At its close reports will be read and addresses will be given by Dr. Robert J. Burdette and George H. Stewart, president-elect of the Chamber of Commerce. An elaborate musical programme has been arranged. During the day from 10 until 4 o'clock, the members will cast their ballots for the official ticket at the association rooms.

No Inquest Necessary.

An investigation into the death of Mrs. Beulah May Watkins, who was shot and killed by George A. Gill, a real estate man, several days ago, at Redondo, will be held this afternoon at the Peck & Chase undertaking parlors. An inquest in the case is not deemed necessary, owing to the information secured at the inquest held over the body of Gill Thursday afternoon, and merely a formal report of the case will be taken from the physicians who attended the woman. Mrs. Watkins died at the California Hospital late Thursday afternoon, a short time after the inquest over Gill had shown her to be guiltless of the charges made against her by Gill's wife.

NO WINES FOR SAILORS?

W.C.T.U. Asks That Liquors Be Eliminated from Banquet Menus for Crews of Fleet.

To eliminate liquor from the menu cards of the proposed banquets to the officers and sailors of the United States fleet when it arrives, is the proposed plan of the W.C.T.U. Mrs. G. T. Stickney of this city, and Mrs. Lew W. Irvine of Riverside, president and vice-president of that organization, have already taken up the subject with the secretary of the Committee of Forty, and in a personal interview have made known their plans.

"We desire to assist in any possible manner on the programme which may be arranged for the naval officers and the sailors when the fleet arrives. In addition to this, we are requesting that liquor be marked off the menu lists for the occasion. If liquor is served we can do no more than remain away from the banquets. This is the way Mrs. Stickney and her associates put the matter.

In discussing the subject with Secretary Elliott she called particular attention to the good work which her organization has done for the sailors in providing libraries aboard all the vessels, and in other ways making the "boys," as she expressed it, more comfortable. She laid special stress on the order issued by the late Secretary of the Navy Long, in which it is forbidden to use or sell liquor among the sailors.

"Should Los Angeles people take the step which we are advocating, it will furnish the city with more advertising than it ever before received in any manner. It will establish a precedent which other cities are bound to follow, and at the same time give us a great name," declared Mrs. Stickney.

Mayor Harper when asked to express his opinion on the matter declared that he had no intimation of the procedure of the W.C.T.U. and had, therefore, given the matter no thought.

"Should the board of arrangements see fit to coincide with the views of this society, I shall abide with their ruling," he said. "The plan seems scarcely feasible, owing to the fact that, during the recent visit of the Pacific fleet, the officers were all dined and wined as well. The board may, however, decide at the meeting to be held Tuesday afternoon when Secretary Elliott will, no doubt, have received a written communication in regard to the matter."

THE OIL INDUSTRY.

HASTILY PACKING THEIR GRIPS.

COMPANIES PROTEST AGAINST TAX BY LEAVING CITY.

Rice Ranch Gone and Union, Central and Fullerton Ready to Depart. Annual Assessment Branded as Outrageous — Producers Speak Warmly.

One oil company gone, and three more preparing to go, is the result of the corporation franchise tax levied on all companies doing business from Los Angeles.

The Rice Ranch company, formerly in the Byrne building, has moved its offices to the little town of Orcutt, near Santa Maria, the Union company's officers were authorized by its stockholders yesterday to move to Oleum, in Contra Costa county, the Central company, one of the largest operators in Southern California, will establish headquarters at Whittier, and the Fullerton company decided to move its place of business to its wells.

The oil men consider the tax particularly unjust, as it makes them pay, they say, for the privilege of advancing the interests of Los Angeles.

Last year the assessment was paid under protest by nearly every concern. The Western Union company filed suit in the Superior Court to test the validity of the law, and this is now pending.

The tax is based upon the value of its stock, upon the day of assessment, and in the case of the California oil companies, the stock is very often above par. The Amalgamated, whose capital is $5,000,000, paid a tax of $20,000.

Many producers are emphatic in their condemnation of the course followed by the City Assessor—a policy which is "killing the goose that lays the golden egg," as it is driving so many of the large concerns from the city.

Council Petitioned.

Consumers in the congested district have petitioned the Council to amend the clause barring tank wagons from the business streets between the hours of 7 a.m and 8 p.m. Oil men claim that deliveries after dark are dangerous, as electric lights are not always available. It is also urged that there is more chance of accidents to wagons.

EASTERN STAR RECEPTION.

Harvey L. Leathers and bride were tendered a reception by the members of Esperanza Chapter, Order of the Eastern Star, at which they received many valuable presents. The affair was at the home of Mrs. Sarah C. Reading. The house was beautifully decorated, and dainty refreshments were served.

BREVITIES.

Sunday Real Estate Liners. Classified real estate advertisements for insertion in THE SUNDAY TIMES must be in the office not later than 14:00 o'clock Saturday night. Other "want" advertisements for Sunday insertion taken over the counter until 11:00 p. m. The great volume of liners printed in The Sunday Times, numbering regularly over 5000 separate announcements, makes this regulation absolutely necessary in order to get the big Sunday issue out on time.

M. Streicher, sample shoe shops, 414½ South Broadway, 2nd floor, and 209 South Broadway, rooms 502 and 503, Merchants' Trust Building, large shipments received from the East. All ladies' shoes at $2, all men's shoes, $2.50. Values up to $3.50, $4.00 and $5.00. Snappy styles, open Saturday night until 9:30. Take elevator.

Coal and coke from the Fullweight Fuel Co. means that you get the quantity you buy. They are making a specialty of English coke for house furnaces and grates, and can also furnish soft coal. Coke is 50c per sack. Telephones, Main 1111, Home 1111.

J. W. Frey has moved his stock of mantels, grates, tiles and andirons to his warerooms, corner Los Angeles and Twelfth streets, where can be seen the largest assortment of black and brass fireplace trimmings to be found in the United States.

We have money-saving bargains every day in the week at the Newmarket. We sell only for cash, and do not deliver. We save you money on your meat bill. Newmarket, 522-24 South Broadway.

Do not buy meat on credit and pay a big price; settle up, and come to the Newmarket and pay cash and save money, and eat good, sweet, fresh meats. Newmarket, 522-24 S. Broadway.

Mrs. Frohman has arrived from Japan with hand-embroidered linen and cotton crepe dresses. Mandernlies, exclusive designs. Hotel Maryland, Pasadena.

Become a customer, with the thousands of others, at the Newmarket, the place of high quality and low cash prices. Newmarket, 522-24 S. Broadway.

Miss Dunlap cordially invites those interested in Paintings to attend her Exhibition at 318 West Third street, January 20 to 25.

Sturdy boys need substantial shoes. Cummings quality stand the test, reasonable price too for good shoes, 4th and Broadway.

A $50,000 sale of shoes at A. J. Hamilton & Sons, 311 South Broadway. Every pair in the store cut in price.

Sample shoe company, top floor Bryson Blk., 2nd and Spring. Open Saturday night till 10 o'clock.

Assaying night school. Now time for reduced rates, etc. 318 E. First st.

La Marque corsets, 414½ S. B'dway. Furs. D. Bonoff, furrier, 324 S. B'way.

VITAL RECORD {BIRTHS, DEATHS, MARRIAGES, DIVORCE.

Deaths.

PELLISSIER. At residence, Seventh street and Cahuenga avenue, January 15, Germain Pellissier, aged 84, beloved husband of Julia Pellissier and father of Louise and Adelaide. Funeral Saturday, January 18, from residence at 9 a.m. and Cathedral at 10 a.m. Friends invited.

LEFFINGWELL. At her residence, No. 1839 South Hope street, in this city, Lottie L. Leffingwell, a native of Ohio, aged 51 years. Funeral Saturday, 2:30 p.m., at the parlors of Pierce Bros. & Co., 310 South Flower street.

SPALDING. At her residence, Sixty-fourth street and Converse avenue, January 8, 1909, Wilhelmina Harris (nee Makee,) beloved wife of Z. S. Spalding of the Territory of Hawaii, mother of Mrs. Julia M. Benni, Rufus P. Spalding and James M. Spalding of this city, and Miss Bodrero of Rome, Italy, and Countess Bonzi of Milan, Italy. Funeral services will be held in St. John's Episcopal Church, No. 514 West Adams street, Saturday, January 23, 1909, at 2:30 o'clock p.m.

WRIGHT. At Watts, January 16, 1909, Louis S. Wright. Services today, 2 p.m., at undertaking parlors, No. 1951 South Grand avenue. Special car to cemetery.

MONTGOMERY. In this city, Mrs. Annie Montgomery, aged 56 years, mother of Mrs. M. Lemon, New York, and Mrs. William Gibson, No. 1834 South Flower street, grandmother of Margaret L., Elizabeth L., Annette M., F. Mae and William K. Gibson. Private funeral from the Gospel Tabernacle Church, Hope and Seventeenth streets, at 1 o'clock. Interment, Inglewood Park Cemetery.

WOODBURY. In this city, January 17, at her late residence, No. 2301 Kansas avenue, Ina F., beloved wife of Clarence E. Woodbury and mother of Carl H. and Isabella Woodbury, and sister of Mrs. H. C. Bond. Funeral services from residence, Sunday, January 19, at 3 p.m. Interment, Boston, Mass. (Boston, Mass., and Vermont papers please copy.)

LEFFINGWELL. In this city, January 16, Lottie L. Leffingwell, aged 51 years. Funeral from the chapel of Pierce Bros. & Co., No. 310 South Flower street, at 2:30 p.m., January 18.

YOTH. In this city, January 16, at his late residence, No. 539 North St. Louis street, Rev. John H. Yoth, Presbyterian minister, aged 79 years. Funeral Saturday, January 18, at 2 p.m., from Boyle Heights Presbyterian Church, Chicago street. Interment, Evergreen Cemetery. Friends invited.

WRIGHT. At Watts, Cal., January 16, 1909, Lewis S. Wright, aged 46 years. Funeral from parlors of Connell Company, No. 1951 South Grand avenue, Saturday, January 16, at 2 p.m.

FREDERICKS. At No. 1201 Summit avenue, Pasadena, January 17, Louise Fredericks, wife of Charles Edwin Fredericks, aged 24 years. Funeral Monday, 10 a.m., at St Andrew's Church, Pasadena. Interment private, New Calvary Cemetery, Los Angeles.

Marriages.

VALENZUELA-VASQUEZ. Gilbert E. Valenzuela, aged 24, a native of California, and Minnie Vasquez, aged 22, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

LAWSON-HURST. Thomas G. Lawson, aged 30, a native of Louisiana, and Sarah B. Hurst, aged 19, a native of Illinois; both residents of Los Angeles.

HEFELE-KRAUS. Francis J. Hefele, aged 25, a native of Germany, and Theresia Kraus, aged 21, a native of Germany; both residents of Palms.

DUNMIN-CASTRO. Joseph A. Dunmin, aged 60, a native of Pennsylvania, and Jesus Castro, aged 59, a native of Mexico; both residents of Los Angeles.

M'ARTHUR-MISSICK. Guy P. McArthur, aged 21, a native of Texas, and Clara E. Missick, aged 22, a native of Kansas; both residents of Los Angeles.

RUSSMAN-WILSON. Edwin F. Russman, aged 46, a native of Pennsylvania, and Lillian L. Wilson, aged 46, a native of Wisconsin; both residents of Los Angeles.

BAKER-M'MILLAN. Steward K. Baker, aged 31, a native of Missouri, and Emma L. McMillan, aged 22, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

NERI-YNUSTROGA. Rito Neri, aged 22, a native of Mexico, and Nestori Ynustroga, aged 22, a native of Mexico; both residents of Los Angeles.

WALTER-SCROETER. Gottlief Walter, aged 40, a native of Switzerland, and a resident of Inglewood, and Ida M. Schroeter, aged 46, a native of Germany, and a resident of Lankershim.

ORTEGA-BROCHETT. Rudolph C. Ortega, aged 21, a native of California, and Beatrice Z. Brochett, aged 15, a native of Missouri; both residents of Los Angeles.

STEWART-MALCOLM. Benjamin R. Stewart, aged 21, a native of California, and Mildred L. Malcolm, aged 21, a native of California; both residents of Los Angeles.

Divorce.

SUITS. Clara Wilson against Sylvester Wilson; Addie Rhreves against William Rhreves; Adele M. Merrill against Jessie T. Merrill; Walter T. Clarke against Joice A. Clarke.

DECREES. R. D. Robinson against Margaret Robinson; Alice F. Palmer against Clarence S. Palmer; Jessie Baldwin against Frank W. Baldwin.

Funeral Notice.

The funeral of the late George A. Gill will be held in the chapel of the Inglewood Park Cemetery at 3 p.m., Sunday, January 17, 1909. Friends invited. Car will leave Second and Spring at 2 p.m. (Pasadena, Salt Lake and Oakland papers please copy.)

Card of Thanks.

We desire to express our sincere gratitude to those who so kindly aided in rendering the last sad duties and honors paid our beloved husband and uncle Elbridge O. Stone, and for the beautiful flowers so abundantly given; also our deep appreciation of the loving sympathy so freely and universally shown to

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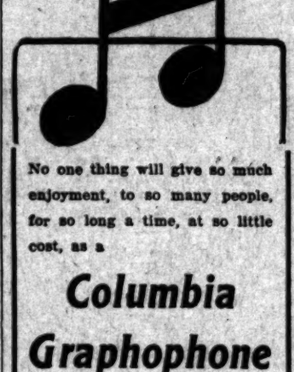

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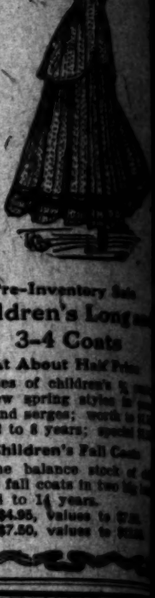

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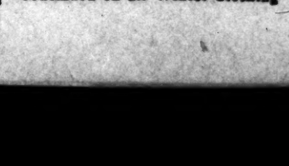

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DISAPPOINTING.

MUSS HOUSE, LITTER HALL.

Crusaders Leave Furniture to Stumble Over.

Corbin Hits Off Prosecution in Graft Cases.

Urges Taxing Deposits for Safety Fund.

One of the strong, sensible men of this State, whose views are worth recording, is William Corbin of San Francisco, president of the Continental Building and Loan Association. He is now in Los Angeles on business. Last night he talked about finance, panic, the San Francisco graft prosecution and other interesting topics.

"As house cleaners," he said, "the graft crusaders do not seem to be an amazing success. They announced with a great blaze that they were going to clean up our municipality. They got all the furniture out in the hall for us to stumble over and now they seem to have stopped.

"They seem to be not a whit farther along than when they began. It seems to us that Ruef is again the one who dominates the situation.

"Whom else can we blame for this than the men whose lack of skill in trying lawsuits has been so deplorably shown? All the capable lawyers in San Francisco said at the time of the Schmitz trial that it was filled with blunders and would never stand.

"The great event to which every one looks forward now, of course, is the Calhoun case. Personally, I do not believe that he ever bribed any of the Supervisors. He may have been forced to pay Abe Ruef, a private citizen who held no public office, a sum of money as attorney fees on account of his political influence.

"What else could Calhoun have done? This fat, slick politician comes along and threatens to injure the immense business interests of the United Railroads unless he is retained Calhoun's interests were too great and the dangers too enormous to refuse.

"I think the attitude of some of the graft crusaders in this matter has been amazing. The people of San Francisco knew perfectly well that Schmitz was crooked and that Ruef was crooked when they elected Schmitz and gave Ruef this awful political power. They knew perfectly well that the pair went into office with the deliberate intention of holding up every one in sight, from fallen women to corporations.

PEOPLE THEMSELVES AT FAULT.

"Well, when they got into office, that is just what they did. Instead of blaming themselves for having brought about the state of things, the people piously turned about and began an attack upon those who were held up and made the victims of extortion. They held the hands and feet of the business interests of San Francisco while Ruef and Schmitz went through their pockets, and then set up a cry of abuse because they allowed themselves to be robbed.

"The attack upon Calhoun has mainly been fostered by the labor unions and the political interests that are trying to curry favor with them.

"Regarding the financial condition, I think that Los Angeles should congratulate herself. She would be proud of her banks. Not a breath of scandal has come out regarding any of them, in the midst of all the alarms.

"I think confidence will come back slowly; not fully until after a new President has been elected. People will feel uneasy until they know who will follow Mr. Roosevelt. For myself, I have the greatest confidence in the luck that always seems to supply this country with just the man needed at any particular crisis. I feel sure that the right one will be elected, whoever he is. Just so he isn't a free silverite, I will be satisfied. No, this doesn't justify Bryan's theories—not by a good deal. The fact is we have too much money in the country.

NOT MONEY BUT CONFIDENCE.

It is not more money that is needed but more confidence. About 90 per cent. of our business is done on confidence, the other 10 per cent. with money. When confidence is gone, even though you doubled the amount of money, it would not equal the loss.

"We are so money mad in this country that whether a man has a love affair, the yellow fever or the panic, he always cries for more money. If we will only remove the cause of panics, which is a lack of confidence brought on by faulty methods of finance, the money question will take care of itself.

"Let us devise some method to hold confidence and the rest is easy. Too much money is more injurious than a lack of it. There are three direct causes for the loss of confidence: inflated values in stocks and kindred securities; lack of complete bank supervision, and permitting runs on banking institutions.

"No one is more timid in 'panicky' times than the banker, although he should be strongest in such times. Why should a bank be put in the position of being the most delicate fabric in our scheme of commerce when it should be the strongest? If laws were enacted absolutely prohibiting runs, then that part of the fabric of commerce immediately becomes the strongest.

WAKE UP TOO LATE.

"Under our present system the depositors of a bank wake up, some morning, and find that the bank has failed and most of the money gone. The State then wakes up and appoints a receiver, who takes what is left, and, fearing that he does not know how to do this scientifically, he appoints a lawyer to help him, with the result that the whole banking system suffers.

"I am now speaking of the result to the depositor, as that is what counts in the final analysis. If the State at large would place competent inspectors in charge of this department and would be personally responsible to the depositors of a failed bank, settle up its affairs, realize on its assets, and, after doing so, make up the difference to the depositors, if there be any, so that they would receive dollar for dollar—such a policy would mean confidence, which would mean more money deposited and no runs, because the incentive to runs would be removed.

"It would be a very simple matter for the State of California, or any other State, or for the nation, to levy a small tax for the purpose of creating a fund, say of 1 per cent. of all the deposits in all the banks, and call it a 'depositors' safety fund,' for the purpose of paying any losses. At the same time the State would be acting only in the capacity of policing the banking department and would not be trampling upon the individual rights of the bankers.

GASP FOR BREATH.

"I can almost hear some one gasping for breath when I speak of taxing the people at large for the protection of bank depositors, but that same person beams on me with a benign smile while we spend twice as much money in preparing for war as we do for education, and levy on our commerce to pay millions of dollars in pensions to the war veterans. Why should not the man of peace, attempting to lay by a little store for the proverbial rainy day, receive some encouragement and protection, especially so when the government taxes him to pay a commission to tell him which are the goats and which the sheep in banking, but which does not do it until the depositor finds out for himself, after it is too late. The ideal government is one in which the people collectively give to the individual full scope for all legitimate enterprises and the fruits thereof, but collectively police for the protection of all.

"I do not think that this government, or any other, should make of itself a great savings bank for handling the people's money. If the country had a disastrous war, it would have to finance the war and the people at the same time, and either one of the propositions would be about all any government could handle. Of course, if there were no war, no lost confidence, no panics, everything would run smoothly, but we know by experience that ideal conditions do not exist very long at a time."

TAKES BATH AND SHOCKS.

Under Hydrant in Front Yard Lookout Drive Citizen Stirs Neighbors.

For fifteen minutes yesterday morning Charles Zerrit, who lives on Lookout Drive, shocked, startled and mortified the entire neighborhood by sitting calmly beneath a hydrant in the front yard and allowing the water to go squirting down over his entirely inartistic and likewise nude figure.

The residents of the vicinity sent a hurry call to the police. They said that Zerrit, having no tub in his house, went on the lawn for a shower bath, sitting on the grass and turning the hydrant on, while women ran for cover and men yelled and threw rocks at the wet spectacle.

The officers, bearing blankets and other secretive appliances, went to the rescue, but Zerrit, having finished his cleansing, had repaired to the house. A warrant for his arrest was sworn to by neighbors, who charge him with being in an unpicturesque attitude in plain public view.

Lieut.-Col. W. G. Schreiber,
leading candidate for election tonight as commander of the Seventh Regiment, N.G.C.

BATTLE.

NEW COLONEL FOR SEVENTH.

Election Tonight Develops Factional Fight.

Schreiber in Lead, "Dark Horse" Likely.

To Command During Period of Interest.

A new colonel for the Seventh Regiment—in which organization are practically all the troops south of the Tehachepi—will be elected tonight at the armory at Eighth and Spring streets.

Lieut.-Col. W. G. Schreiber, now assistant adjutant-general on the staff of Gen. Wankowski, is the leading candidate.

Every commissioned officer in the regiment will be entitled to vote. The colonel elected will command the regiment for the next three years—a period of critical interest in the military history of this country.

There have been rumors for many months of an attempt on the part of some of the out-of-town companies to accomplish the defeat of Col. Schreiber through sectional jealousy—the feeling of the country against the city.

In military circles the responsibility for this movement has been unanimously laid at the door of Col. Finley, the present commander of the regiment, who has been outspoken in his hostility to Schreiber.

Although he denies that he himself is a candidate, Col. Finley is alleged to have encouraged a movement of the outside companies to rebel against the election of Schreiber.

OTHER POSSIBILITIES.

The colonel's own adjutant has been spoken of as a possible candidate, Maj. Harry Mitchell of Riverside was also urged to become a candidate. He refused, however, partly owing to his friendship for Col. Schreiber, and partly because his duties as quartermaster of the Sherman Indian School take up much of his time.

Although yesterday there was no candidate from the outside towns, it is regarded as almost certain that, today, a certain faction of the country companies will scratch around and find a "dark horse" to run against Schreiber.

Friends of the National Guard regard it as extremely unfortunate that cheap sectional politics should come in to disgrace the organization—especially a time when the country at large turns so eagerly to the militia. Military experts, such as Maj. Haan, now looking over the problem of fortifying Los Angeles, speak openly of the militia as the great war hope of the government.

The major's disgust may be imagined if he finds the militia engaged in a rotten little political intrigue.

Col. Schreiber has already been recognized by the Federal government, being one of the few militia officers in the United States to be given the rank of "reserve colonel."

He saw service and hard fighting in the Philippines as a volunteer captain of infantry, and was severely wounded in the breast by a rifle bullet.

He has been in the Seventh Regiment about twenty years, having been commander of the regiment at one time.

Since then he has been lieutenant-colonel of the Seventh, and assistant adjutant of the First Brigade. In addition to being an excellent tactician, Col. Schreiber is a master of the "paper" end of military work.

Military men feel that it is a military necessity to have the headquarters of the regiment in Los Angeles. Gen. Miles said, on the occasion of his last visit to this Coast, that the most important feature to be considered in the location of troops here is the railroad centers.

As the largest and most centrally-located city, and the hub of all the railroads, Los Angeles has become the natural military depot.

There will also be a major elected to command the battalion, composed of the three city companies and the company in Pasadena. On account of his excellent record and soldierly qualities, Maj. Truman Cole, commandant at the Whittier State School, is almost sure to succeed himself.

UNTIL HADES SKATING RINK.

Judge Emphatic About What He Would Do If He Were Juror.

[SPECIAL CORRESPONDENCE.]

SAN BERNARDINO, Jan. 17.—Judge F. F. Oster, at the banquet of the Highland Chamber of Commerce last night, said, in referring to obstinacy in the juryroom:

"If I were a juror and had listened to the evidence in the case, and then to the arguments of the attorneys, and had arrived at an opinion by the time the jury retired, I think I would be there until Hades becomes a skating rink before I would change my vote simply because a majority chances to think differently."

The judge is also quoted as saying:

"San Bernardino county is the most chivalric county in the State, for, although many women have been tried in it, I think no jury in the Superior Court has ever convicted one."

This statement aroused unusual interest because Mrs. Place, who was acquitted of a burglary charge, has other charges of like character to face.

DANCE HALL WAIL.

Proprietors of Public Places Say They're Private, Ask Council to Reduce License.

Asserting that their public dances are strictly private dances, a number of dance-hall proprietors filed a wail with the City Council yesterday. They asked that the license be reduced from $150 a quarter to $30 a quarter.

They declared that no one is admitted to their halls without invitations.

This, of course, is not true; unless they have very lately reformed. Times reporters sent to these public dance halls a short time ago had no difficulty whatever in getting in; were asked no questions; no invitations were asked for. Merely fifty cents shoved through the window of the box office.

A "floor manager" introduced the newcomers to any women that were indicated, without any questions of references.

The police say that these halls are the hunting ground for the criminals called "cadets," who make a business of ruining young girls, and selling them to notorious resorts.

CORONER SCORES POINT.

Writ Issued Prohibiting Police Judge Hearing Case Until Jurisdiction Is Established.

Coroner R. S. Lanterman, under charge of having been intoxicated while acting as Coroner of the county of Los Angeles, was granted another lease of official life late yesterday afternoon, when the Court of Appeals issued a writ of prohibition, and caused it to be served on Justice Frederickson.

The writ prevents the justice proceeding with the hearing until his jurisdiction has been thoroughly established. Lanterman was to have faced trial by jury in Police Court next Monday. He fought hard against this, declaring he could not get a fair trial there.

The jurisdiction of a city police judge over an affair affecting an officer of the county was attacked. Justice Frederickson held that it was his privilege to try Lanterman, while Attorney Earl Rogers, representing the Coroner, argued that the case must go before a township justice.

Argument on the writ of prohibition will take place Monday.

Lanterman, it is said, has prepared his resignation, and will file it with the Board of Supervisors as soon as the charges against him have been disposed of.

SUDDEN IS LOT CHANGED.

After Thirty-two Years Finds Two Brothers and Also Fortune.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

BAKERSFIELD, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] After an absence from his home and family for thirty-two years, James Hutt, a poor, almost poverty-stricken laboring man, today was found by two brothers, Edgar Hutt of Gordon, Neb., and Frank Hutt of Indianola, Iowa, who arrived here from the East yesterday in search of their long-lost relative, who fell heir with them to a large estate left by their father.

While walking along the principal business street with a former employer of the old man, the latter was seen stalking along the other side, and the reunion speedily took place.

It was a most pathetic meeting. The strapping, physically-perfect young man of 21, as he was remembered by his family, is now a stooped and aged man of 53. His hair and long, heavy beard are gray, and the empty left coat sleeve tells mutely of a missing member.

His appearance rendered his brothers speechless, and it was some moments before they could subdue their emotions sufficiently to talk. They plan to leave here tomorrow to return to their homes with the brother.

UNITED.

BIG MERGER OF PHONE RIVALS.

Home and Sunset Companies Enter Combination.

Score of Cities in Redlands District Affected.

One Gets Local Business and Other Long-Distance.

A telephone merger of far-reaching effect was consummated yesterday at Redlands. The deal consists of the transfer of the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company to the Southwestern Home Telephone and Telegraph Company, of all of it's local lines, exchanges, loops, instruments and connections, save only those used for long-distance service, in Redlands, El Casco, Forest Home, Beaumont, Banning, Hemet, San Jacinto, Sage, Bergman, Oak Grove, Warner's Ranch, Perris, Elsinore, Temecula, Armada and Moreno. It is understood that a working agreement has been arranged between the companies for the exchange of business in scores of other small towns in that part of the State, but the exact terms of this part of the deal have not been made public. It is known, however, that the Pacific States company, known throughout the State as the "Sunset company," will continue to maintain its exchanges in the various towns until the Home company can make the necessary connections and then the transfer of property will take place.

Briefly stated, the effect of the deal is that the Sunset company will confine its business to long-distance switching in that territory, while the Home company will control the local business. The transfer becomes effective February 1, but at least three months will elapse before the change in systems is completed.

Officials of the Sunset company went to Redlands yesterday in the private car of Henry T. Scott, president of the company. Accompanying him were E. C. Bradley, vice-president and general manager; E. H. Bangs, W. C. Burkett, G. P. Robinson, C. M. Cooley and Harry and William Scott, sons of President Scott. With the party were Mrs. E. C. Bradley and Mrs. Robert J. Burdette. After luncheon at the Casa Loma and a drive about the city, in which they were joined by G. F. Rolf and K. C. Wells of the Home company and J. F. Lynch of the Sunset company, a business conference was held at which the final papers were signed and the transfer of property valued at about $200,000 was completed. The exact terms of the contract were not made public.

"This probably is the entering wedge of a general consolidation of all the telephone systems of Southern California," said K. C. Wells, president of the Southwestern concern yesterday. "The deal places the Southwestern Home Telephone Company in the most independent position occupied by any telephone company on the Coast, as by the terms of the transfer we have the switching privilege on either the Home lines in any part of the State, but also the switching right over the Pacific States Telephone Company system, any where on the Coast. This gives our subscribers the right to call any one of the 23,000 Pacific States Telephone Company's stations in Los Angeles and also the right to call any one of the 25,000 'phones of the Home company of Los Angeles."

C. C. M. Seeley, division superintendent of the Pacific States Telephone and Telegraph Company, last night confirmed the statements made by Mr. Wells.

"This deal has been pending for some time," said Mr. Seeley, "and it is one of the most important in the history of telephone service in the West. We believe the result will not only be a large increase in business, but that better service and much less annoyance will be given patrons of the companies for, in that district, it will no longer be necessary for a merchant, orchardist or other patron to have two telephones in his residence or place of business. As to further possible combinations between the two companies I can say nothing at this time. Yes, a general merger at some future time is of course possible, but there is nothing that can now be said as to that matter."

Relieved of its local business in that part of the State, the Sunset Company is now free to push its long-distance lines in various directions and it is understood that many important extensions will soon be made. One of the first will be to connect El Centro, Imperial and other cities in the Imperial Valley with its general system, putting that fertile and important district into direct communication with other portions of the State.

TITLES TO SOIL.

CLEARS WAY FOR VALLEY OWNERS.

FINAL RECEIPTS ORDERED FOR IMPERIAL LANDS.

Letter from Secretary Garfield States That He Has Directed Their Issuance for All Claims on Which Satisfactory Final Proof Has Been Made—Resurvey to Be Completed.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—A.M.]

IMPERIAL, Jan. 17.—A letter from Secretary Garfield states that he has survey the Land Office withheld final receipts for all land claims in Imperial Valley on which satisfactory final proof has been made.

Five years ago Congress passed a bill providing for a resurvey of this valley, specifying that claimants should all hold the land taken, but that the descriptions should be changed.

The survey is being made and will be completed in ninety days. Pending the survey the Land Office withheld final receipts with the effect that sales could only be made on assignments. No subdivision was possible. It is now decided to issue receipts at once, making it possible to deed and subdivide the land. For more than 150,000 acres of well developed farms there will be made final proof subject to the order.

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WHISTLING ROBBER STRIKES.

Comes up Behind Victim, Knocks Him Unconscious and Goes Through His Pockets.

Nelson Wallace, who rooms at No. 218 North Main streets, was knocked down by a highwayman at 9 o'clock last night on Olivera street, near the Plaza. The robber secured $1.95, a gold watch and chain and a knife. The victim was found, half an hour later, lying unconscious on the sidewalk. He sustained slight concussion of the brain and a scalp wound.

As Wallace was walking south on Olivera street, the highwayman came up behind him whistling and struck him. At the Receiving Hospital he was unable to give any description of his assailant.

THE PUBLIC SERVICE.

SUMMARY OF THE DAY.

Councilman Healy flourished his big stick above the head of a contractor in the City Hall yesterday to the horror of the municipal reformers: his methods were crude, but they won beans and bacon for two hungry families in the Italian quarter.

Tiring of his perpetual conflict with the Finance Committee, Sam Grant, Sealer of Weights and Measures, has tendered his resignation to the Mayor.

Judge Conrey handed down a decision yesterday, confirming the right of the Hollywood city school district to possession and use of the Sunset boulevard schoolhouse and grounds formerly owned by the Pass school district.

Judge Wilbur ordered Hong To, the four-year-old Chinese baby, which the Home Missionary Society desired to retain, returned to its parents.

Judge Smith upheld the validity of the city milk ordinance yesterday afternoon, by remanding to the custody of the officials R. C. Hackett, who swore out a writ of habeas corpus.

George W. Young, former City Marshal of Long Beach, filed in the Superior Court an application for a writ of mandamus, directed to the Mayor and City Council of Long Beach and others, to fill the office of Chief of Police in accordance with alleged requirements of the city charter.

Judge Wilbur sentenced Arthur Bell to Ione for three years for burglary, and Sam J. F. Kelly to Folsom for three years for receiving stolen goods.

AT THE CITY HALL.

HIGH FINANCE IN "DE ATE."

HEALY WINS ITALIAN QUARTER BY "MAKING GOOD."

Primitive Methods and Big Stick Ridiculed at City Hall but They Bring Beans and Bacon to Hungry Ones in Jackson Street Tenements. One Pledge Redeemed.

Councilman Bernard Healy has demonstrated to the grateful satisfaction of the Italian colony in "de ate" that he is able to deliver the goods, the manner in which he made good on an ante-election promise yesterday has placed him one step below the President, but two in advance of Taft.

The Italian quarter has read how the Senate is turning down the Taft postmasters, but they haven't found any one as yet who has dared to reject the chosen of the Councilman of their ballwick.

Necessity was written in big letters on the pinched faces and turned dresses of two women from the Italian colony who went to the City Hall yesterday morning to seek their Councilman.

For an hour they wandered about the cheerless corridors looking for the job that Assemblyman Healy had picked out for the husband of Mrs. Renzi of 828 Jackson street, when he tore up the Non-Partisan tickets and brought the truck crew of which he was a member into line for Healy.

Mrs. Renzi went from office to office telling her humble story. In her eyes was the hunted look of an animal in distress. Her husband has been out of work for three months; he was laid off when construction work on the electric lines outside the city was stopped: the children must be taken out of school next week because they have no shoes; at last the time had come when they just must have that job Assemblyman Healy said her husband was to get before the election.

Many hearts in the City Hall are as calloused as the granite-blocked corridors; politics takes away the heart of flesh and blood and puts in its place a roll of leather steeped in alcohol. Some of the little place men grinned with genuine pleasure as they told the two unfortunates from the tenements that Healy had been looking for them for week's to give them the places he promised. They said that if the women would hang around a bit the Eighth Ward assemblymen would come in and tell them all about it.

The pitiful, pinched faces lighted with a new hope as they sat on the wooden steps leading to the attorney's office and talked in their soft southern tongue of the good fortune that was to follow their search for Assemblyman Healy.

And the leather-hearted ones hung about the corridors waiting to see how Healy would make good.

Click, click jerked out a hundred hidden echoes as Councilman Healy stalked through the corridors with the military precision born of years of service in the United States army in Arizona and New Mexico. Healy is the bete noir of Citizen Flexit and the antithesis of the Voters' League; he regards a non-partisan as nine degrees lower than an anarchist, but he knows his ward and he fights the battles of his people as he does his own.

To him Mrs. Renzi sold her plaintive story; eagerly she pointed to the leather-bound ones who had said that he had been keeping that job for her husband all along.

What Healy said was hardly in keeping with the revival services in progress out on the City Hall steps, but he brought his double fist down on the railing until the bolts rattled and swore that the children should have those shoes if he had to go out and hold up a department store.

Then he went into the office of the Board of Public Works and demanded with brutal frankness that a place be made somewhere to put these two men to work. All the places under the board were full and civil service stood in the way of an immediate appointment, even though there were a vacancy. So did the commissioners.

"That's all right,' exclaimed Healy, 'and they're going to have a place just the same." He looked about the room and inspected closely the ones before the board for favors.

"Here you," he said, walking up to a street contractor, "write an order here telling your foreman to put those two fellows to work."

The contractor demurred, he was reducing forces and couldn't afford it. Healy knew that game.

"How many extensions of time have you had on Jackson street?" he retorted. "You are weeks behind already. If you don't want the whole Eighth Ward to come up here next week and demand that you receive no more extensions, you put those fellows to work."

The contractor winced; he had been receiving extensions, and if the next one should be refused him he would have a sorry time of it with his bondsman.

Five minutes later Healy walked back to the waiting ones and handed to each an order from the contractor to his foreman to add her husband to the crew. The women thanked the great blue Eighth Warder a bit timidly; they really stood very much in awe of him, and left the City Hall, the sun shining full in their faces.

"Now what d'ye think of that?" grasped one of the leather-bound ones as he ambled back to his deserted desk.

Healy has been at the City Hall long enough to know the ropes. Some of his methods are crude, but they bring results.

The children in two tenements down on Jackson street went to bed last night with full stomachs for the first time in weeks. Those orders from the contractor were good for beans and bacon, and a sack of flour at the corner grocery.

The first municipal reformer who goes down into the Italian quarter to stir up opposition to Councilman Healy is likely to return with a hair-raising account of his narrow escape from assassination by agents of the "Black Hand."

WEIGHTS UNSEALED.

ONE PLACE IS VACANT.

Sam Grant, sealer of weights and measures, has grown weary with what he terms the obstruction methods of one of the factions in the Council, and has sent his resignation to Mayor Harper, to take effect the first of next month. For several weeks Grant has been urging the Council to provide for him the assistants and the equipment which he says are necessary to make the work a success. The Council has talked economy each time.

Grant is the first person to hold the place of sealer of weights and measures under the new ordinance providing for scale and measure inspection. He brought the office into prominence last summer by turning in to the Mayor reports showing that the ice men were swindling hundreds of customers daily through short weights.

At the time the Council pretended to be very indignant, and passed an ordinance requiring the ice men to give tickets with each delivery, showing the weight of the ice.

The Ice Men's Union waited until the excitement died down. Then it sent its agitators to the Mayor, to the City Attorney and to members of the Legislation Committee to secure the repeal of this part of the ordinance. The ice men didn't care much about the penalties, so long as they were compelled to leave no tell-tale record of weights. There were no speeches in th Council when this amendment was adopted; in fact, it was not generally known until complaints commenced coming in a second time concerning short weights.

Each month, when the demands of the department over which Grant presides are presented, there is complaint from the Council. To some of his friends Grant has said that he is tired of it all, and is ready to step down and out. His successor has not yet been selected, but will be one of the eligibles on the civil service list.

AT THE COURTHOUSE.

HOLLYWOOD IS GIVEN SCHOOL.

SUIT FOR HOUSE AND GROUNDS LOST BY PASS.

Chinese Baby Ordered Returned to Parents—Validity of City Milk Ordinance Upheld—Fight for Office of Chief of Police of Long Beach Transferred to Courts.

The possessory right of the Hollywood city school district to the Sunset boulevard schoolhouse and grounds formerly in the Pass school district, has been confirmed by Judge Conrey, who has handed down a decision denying the right of the Pass school district to the property.

At the incorporation of Hollywood in November, 1903, a portion of the Pass school district was included within the city limits and the acre of school property, with the building, was located within this portion. The city has since used the school for its own purposes, but the control of the property and the responsibility for its administration have been in dispute between the officials of the two school districts. The Hollywood officials contended that with the division of the Pass school district the schoolhouse and real estate located in the cut-off portion passed into the possession of the district, while the Pass officials urged that the old district had been divided without the consent of a majority of its residents expressed legally by signature of a petition, and therefore Hollywood did not acquire title.

In rendering his decision Judge Conrey says: "As the statutes of the State do not make any specific provision for disposing of the title or control of school property on the division of a school district, the decision must be made according to State law outside of any statute.

"Previous decisions of the courts hold that the property passes to the new district, as the school district which first held the property is not entitled to conduct schools outside its district and the school property is by the school district held in trust for the people for school purposes within the district of its location. Therefore the trustees of the new district are in effect successors of the trustees of the old district."

GET THEIR BABY.

CHINESE PARENTS REJOICE.

Judge Wilbur yesterday made an order returning to its parents little Hong To, the four-year-old Chinese baby which has been in the custody of the court for three weeks. The Home Missionary Society made a hard fight to obtain possession of the child.

All Chinatown as well as the missionary society was interested in the disposition of Hong To and there was rejoicing in the oriental quarter last evening over the rescue of the baby from the "foreign devils."

Testimony was introduced yesterday showing that the parents of Hong To had no intention of spiriting the baby from the jurisdiction of the local court and Quong Din, the father, and Young She, the mother, stated that they would do all they could to bring up their little girl in the right way and send her to the mission school and Sunday-school.

Attorneys Frank R. Willis and R. A. Ling appeared for the parents, and Attorneys Grove E. Walters for the missionary society. A further hearing in the case will be held next Friday.

UPHOLDS LAW.

MILK ORDINANCE VALID.

In remanding R. C. Hackett to the custody of the police and denying his writ of habeas corpus, Judge Smith yesterday afternoon upheld the validity of the city milk ordinance, which establishes a higher standard of quality for milk sold in Los Angeles than is provided by the law passed last December by the Legislature.

Hackett, a driver employed by the Holly Milk and Butter Company, was arrested in December, on a charge of having in his charge milk of poorer quality than demanded by the city ordinance, and was fined $50 or fifty days in jail.

He swore out a writ of habeas corpus, and in the hearing before Judge Smith yesterday, his attorney contended that the present city milk ordinance is in conflict with the State ordinance, and that when the Legislature has fixed a standard in such matters the city exceeds its police powers by fixing a higher standard.

Assistant Prosecuting Attorney Eddy argued that the city's ordinance is in the nature of completing work commenced by the State authorities and is not in conflict with such State Legislation. Judge Smith took this view of the matter.

TWO POLICE CHIEFS.

OUSTED MAN CLAIMS OFFICE.

George W. Young, former City Marshal of Long Beach, who says he is the legal Chief of Police of that city, yesterday filed in the Superior Court a petition directed against Mayor Wyndham and the City Council of Long Beach, T. W. Williams, appointed Chief of Police, and others. He asks the court to issue a writ of mandamus compelling Williams to quit as Chief of Police and obliging the Mayor and the City Council to fill the office in accordance with the terms of the city charter, which Young says they have disregarded.

Young asserts that the Mayor and Council appointed T. W. Williams Chief of Police, January 14, after passing and approving an ordinance that is contrary to the city charter, in that it attempts to confer on the Mayor and Council an appointive power in conflict with the civil service regulations of the city charter. The court is petitioned to compel the appointment of a police commission for Long Beach, that the commission may make appointments in accordance with the charter.

MUST SERVE TIME.

REFORM SCHOOL AND PRISON.

Judge Wilbur in the Superior Court yesterday did not have much confidence in the alleged wish to reform of Arthur Bell, a colored boy 18 years old, of No. 1414 Newton street, and sent him to the Preston School of Industry at Ione until he is 21 years of age. The special charge against young Bell was that of burglary. He had been convicted of petty larceny before by his own mother. With another boy Bell broke into a barn and stole seven bales of sacks.

J. F. Kelly pleaded guilty to a charge of receiving stolen property, before Judge Wilbur yesterday, and was sent to Folsom prison for three years. Kelly was accused of accepting $150 of the $150 alleged to have been stolen from T. J. Malone by L. Ednyr Ketring on January 4. Miss Ketring is now held upon a charge of grand larceny.

NEVER HAD CHANCE.

LIBEL SUIT IS DISMISSED.

James B. McMahon lost even the faint shadow of the $50,000 which he demanded as damages in his libel suit against the Times-Mirror company when Judge Conrey, in the Superior Court, yesterday, dismissed the case upon motion of Attorney William J. Hunsaker of Hunsaker & Britt, on the ground that the plaintiff had failed to prosecute the case in a reasonable time. The answer to the complaint of McMahon was that the allegations in the article complained of were true.

It was about three years ago that the Golden Gate Credit Company sold watches in Los Angeles on the endless-chain plan. It was proved that the watches sold by the company for $25 were worth not more than $12. Many victims failed to pay, and at that time The Times exposed the concern for sending threatening letters through the mails to its debtors.

In opposing the dismissal of the suit yesterday, McMahon filed an affidavit in which he stated that after the article in The Times his customers refused to pay, and consequently he could not raise the money to prosecute his case in court. But he has been prosecuting his debtors with considerable energy.

COURTHOUSE NOTES.

BREVITIES MISCELLANEOUS.

TO CHANGE NAME. William Edward Andrews, 24 years old, yesterday filed in the Superior Court a petition that he be allowed to change his name to Willedd Andrews, as he wishes to use the changed name in his literary and professional work, and "believes it better fitted for that use than his present name."

BLAMES WORKMAN. John A. Gordon yesterday filed in the Superior Court a $5037 damage suit against J. B. Lankershim, owner of the San Fernando building, Main and Fourth streets, and Achille Biloci, a workman employed, he says, on the building August 21. Gordon says that while he was standing on the sidewalk in front of the building he was hit, through Biloci's carelessness, by a plank which bruised his shoulder, broke two ribs and injured him seriously in other ways.

BROWN ARRAIGNED. Robert Brown, suspected by the authorities of being at the head of a gang of horse thieves, was arraigned before Justice Summerfield yesterday, and pleaded not guilty to a charge of grand larceny. His bail was fixed at $5000, which was given, and his examination fixed for January 23. Brown is accused by George S. Safford of stealing a horse belonging to the California Truck Company.

DENY CHARGE. F. Veysaett, Julius Damon and Homer Lenoanes, accused of arson for the alleged burning of a field of grain on the Mountain Meadow ranch last November, pleaded not guilty in Justice Summerfield's court yesterday, and gave $1000 bond each for their appearance at their examination January 30.

SOLDERER HURT. H. G. Ulch, an electrical worker, yesterday filed in the Superior Court a $10,000 damage suit against the Home Telephone and Telegraph Company for injuries alleged to have been received in its service. Ulch says that October 1, while he was sitting on a bench at the top of a thirty-five-foot telegraph pole soldering wires for the corporation, a bolt in the seat broke and he was thrown to the street, fracturing his collarbone and sustaining other injuries. He charges negligence in the erection and maintenance of the seat.

PETITION FILED. Ferdinand Thum a son of Christiane Thum, who died December 29 in Pasadena, leaving a $26,000 estate in personal property, yesterday filed his petition for appointment as administrator. Mrs. Thum, who was a widow, left four sons.

WILL FILED. Emily L. Borland, executrix under the will of Matthew L. Borland, who died November 29 in Los Angeles, leaving a $20,000 estate to his children, yesterday filed the will for probate in the Superior Court.

CHILDREN INHERIT. Nellie Harkness, executrix under the will of Edward Harkness, who died at Long Beach December 24, leaving a $23,920 estate to his children and widow, yesterday filed the will for probate in the Superior Court.

DISPOSES OF ESTATE. The will of W. D. Gibbs, who died in Pasadena January 8, disposes of his $20,000 estate among relatives, Nettie L. Gibbs, the executrix, yesterday filed it for probate in the Superior Court.

ASKS CONFIRMATION. Mary S. Hoyt yesterday filed in the Superior Court a petition for her confirmation as executrix under the will of Henry S. Hoyt, who died at Pasadena January 13. He left a $9000 estate.

INCORPORATIONS. Articles of incorporation were filed with the County Clerk yesterday by the Burnett Baptist Church of Burnett, the Banks, Spence, Miller Company, capital stock $10,000, and the Japanese Business Men's Association of Los Angeles. The Mackie-Foley Company filed a certificate of decrease in the number of its directors from five to three, and the A.B.C. Trading Company filed a certificate of increase in its capital stock from $50,000 to $100,000.

HOLT APPEARS. Editor D. G. Holt of the Santa Monica Outlook yesterday was in Judge Smith's court to plead to the charge of criminal libel, lodged against him by Burks, Young and Anderson, former officials of Ocean Park. At the request of Holt's attorneys, Judge Smith set next Tuesday as the time for him to plead.

HEARING POSTPONED. Judge Conrey yesterday postponed until January 24 the hearing on F. C. Wilkins's application for an injunction, restraining Chief of Police Kern, Dist.-Atty. Fredericks, Prosecuting Attorney Fleming and other officials, from raiding his alleged bucket shop.

GET FIVE MONTHS. Cyril Young and Clifford Wilcox were yesterday sentenced by Judge Smith to five months each in the County Jail for receiving stolen property. Young and Wilcox pleaded guilty to the charge of receiving a gold watch stolen from S. H. Halstead last July. They are suspected by the authorities of having engaged extensively in the business of receiving stolen goods.

THE INFERIOR COURTS.

BY CRUEL JOKE KEPT IN CELL.

RANCHMAN FINALLY FREED AND URGED TO MARRY.

Hobos Induce "Good Fellow," Arrested for Slight Offense, to Demand Jury Trial and He Awaits It in Jail for Twenty Days—Department Store Case Deferred.

A cruel practical joke, played upon Thomas Hennesey, a ranchman of San Fernando, kept him in a cell of the City Jail for twenty days. Only through accident did Justice Austin learn of the man's predicament, yesterday, and secure his release.

Hennesey is about 35 years of age. During the Christmas holidays he came to this city to have a little fun. He put his arms about the shoulders of the less fortunate who thronged East First street and led them joyously to the bars, where drinks were bought at his expense.

When his last cent was gone he staggered to the street, and finding a man who had been drinking "on him" most of the day, he attempted to borrow 10 cents. The man called a policeman and Hennesey was arrested.

He had never been in jail before and when he became sober the hardened hobos and tramps in the lower tank made sport of him. They told him that the penalty for begging was a twenty-year sentence in State's prison. They advised him to demand a jury trial. He, thoroughly alarmed, did so. There is little mercy shown a man who wants a jury trial for such a trivial offense as begging, and the prisoner was told that he would have to wait until January 17 before he could be tried. Then he was taken back to a cell.

Yesterday, when Hennesey appeared, trembling, before Justice Austin, the latter became interested in the case and found that the prisoner had been imprisoned far too long.

"No man is safe unless he is married," said the justice, "and some of them are not safe then. But marriage keeps many men off the streets. Hennesey, I shall put you on probation for a short time and you can go back to work. My advice to you is to straighten out right now and look for some good little woman who will love you. Get married and settle down and you won't have time to get into a police court."

Farnsworth Case Continued.

Elmer R. Farnsworth, who is charged with having robbed the Bullock department store of several thousand dollars, appeared before Justice Austin yesterday for preliminary examination. His case was continued to January 29 as his attorney was unable to be present.

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and Rev. P. F. Sigler, a Methodist minister who is a native of Los Angeles, is devoting practically his whole time to demonstrating to people that it is their duty to become tithers. At a single session of the Newman Methodist Church, fifty persons recently announced their determination to give the tenth.

The "Tenth Legion" of the Society of Christian Endeavor has within the same period received many accessions, and as these are members of the several churches, they have evidently proved heaven for the whole jump.

The figures that come from the Gospel Tabernacle, Seventeenth and Hope streets, of which Rev. J. Hudson Ballard is pastor, form one of the most striking examples of benevolence. The congregation has 200 members and last year its contributions to missions amounted to $4369.29; home expenses, $2385.02; making a total of $6754.31. Believing that this was the result of a general system of tithing, Mr. Ballard was asked about it. He said:

"I am not fully informed about that, for I never preached to my people on the subject, though I have probably referred to systematic giving. I think, however, it is safe for you to say that most of my members are tithers, but they are such from their own free will, and have not been urged into it. The gifts have been made without the popular methods of fairs, paid suppers, or entertainments, and without even a missionary collection, and our congregation has not one wealthy member."

This church has twelve missionaries on its roll, ten of whom are in the field, and eight of whom are being entirely supported by the congregation of which they are a part. The remark about fairs and suppers calls attention also to the fact that they are growing in disfavor and are less frequent than ever before, as means for raising money. A prominent minister in this city said recently that as a means of sociability he believed in suppers, but as a means of raising money he thought them reprehensible. It is probably coming to that.

GOSPEL TEMPERANCE.
MAKES NEW DEPARTURE.

A new departure in the work of gospel temperance will be made on Sunday afternoon at 2:30, when William Murphy will hold a meeting in Chutes Park. There are a number of attractions at the Chutes, all entirely different from a gospel temperance meeting, but William Murphy will give the crowd a good entertainment at which he will be the principal attraction, for he is an orator with few equals. It will be a meeting of the regular Francis Murphy type, with gospel songs and a number of brief addresses by other persons. Solos will be sung by R. D. Evans and Miss Armstrong.

At the Sunday evening meeting in Blanchard Hall, T. Wiesendanger will preside and Mr. Murphy will speak. The soloist will be Mrs. Robert Wankowski.

THE MEN'S CAMPAIGN.
MIDNIGHT MEETING TONIGHT.

The street meetings at fifteen different points yesterday were well attended, as on previous days, and the all-day services at Monarch Rink were participated in by large numbers of people. Last night Dr. J. Q. A. Henry delivered a powerful address, which made a profound impression upon all who heard it.

Col. Miles of Chicago, who has arrived to take charge of the Salvation Army work on the Coast, will speak at the rink tonight. Tomorrow he will speak in Central Park at 1:45, and at 2:30, and 7:30 in the rink. Mrs. Miles will conduct the women's meeting in the rink this afternoon at 2:30 o'clock.

At 10 o'clock tonight a procession will be formed at the rink and led by a brass band, will march to various points in the city and gather a great crowd for the midnight round-up of the week's work, which will be held at the rink from 11 to 12 o'clock. The leaders urge the participation of large numbers of men and women in the procession.

RELIGIOUS BRIEFS.
GARVANZA GETS DR. ROWELL.

Dr. L. N. Rowell, who resigned from Salem Congregational Church after serving it for many years, has taken charge of the work at Garvanza, where the denomination has a fine church.

The Congregationalists will hold a fellowship meeting on January 20, at the First Church, which will last all day. The ladies will furnish a lunch at noon.

At the free popular meeting tonight at the Salvation Army citadel on San Pedro street, the subject of the pictures will be: "Picturesque Holland and the Rhine," accompanied by Dutch songs. Capt. and Mrs. Wood and Cadet Lewis will conduct farewell services at the citadel on Sunday morning and evening.

Mrs. Leonard Merrill will address the women's vesper service of the Young Women's Christian Association on Sunday afternoon at 4 o'clock. Her subject will be: "Witnessing."

Mr. and Mrs. Baker, the blind singers, will conduct the meeting at the Young Men's Christian Association, at 3 o'clock Sunday afternoon.

Superintendent E. E. Leary will tell the experience of his five years as a Christian, at the City Rescue Mission, No. 606 East Fifth street, tonight. Miss Nan Tedford, a convert's quartette and Mr. and Mrs. Baker will sing.

Rev and Mrs. J. F. Russell of Massachusetts, missionaries of the American Baptist Missionary Union, en route to their station in the Philippines, will spend Sunday in Los Angeles. They will address the Temple Baptist Sunday-school at 9:30 a.m.; Central Baptist Church at 11 a.m.; the Young People's Society of the First Baptist Church at 6:15 p.m., and Calvary Baptist Church at 7:30 p.m.

Fred F. Wheeler, possible Presidential nominee of the Prohibition party, addressed the Unity Club last night, and poured hot shot into the liquor traffic. He declared that the Los Angeles City Jail contains 313 prisoners, three times as many as it was built to accommodate, and that two-thirds of them owe their misfortune to the liquor traffic.

Rev. L. T. Tracey will be the speaker at the Union Rescue Mission, No. 145 North Main street, on Sunday evening.

Bishop Conaty has appointed Father Joseph R. O'Neill to be rector of the Catholic parish of Glendale, where services are now held every Sunday morning at 9 a.m., in the G.A.R. Hall on Glendale avenue.

Rev. E. R. Brown, assistant pastor of Temple Baptist Church, will preach at the Echo Park chapel, No. 1646 Temple street, at 10:30 Sunday morning.

The music committee of University Methodist Church entertained last night, at the home of Mrs. W. M. Bowen, the official board and choir of the church. It was an informal affair, including about sixty guests, who were entertained with a fine musical programme and refreshments.

On Sunday morning, January 26, Dr. J. Q. A. Henry will deliver the baccalaureate sermon before the graduating class of the State Normal School, the latter attending the First Baptist Church in a body at that time.

"Esau, the Sensual Fool," will be Dr. Henry's subject next Sunday evening, with a prelude on the drink curse among women. During his five years in Great Britain, Dr. Henry delivered more than 2000 temperance lectures, about 200 of which were before audiences of women.

Bishop Johnson of the Episcopal Church will be at Oceanside on Sunday morning, San Luis Rey in the evening and at Escondido on Tuesday evening.

During the year 1907 France's imports amounted to $1,309,529,600, an increase over the preceding year of $34,-063,400. Her exports amounted to $11,-168,406,000, an increase of $55,964,000.

MINES AND MINING.

LOCAL MONEY IN FAR ALASKA.

SOUTHERN CAPITAL DEVELOPS COPPER RIVER FIELDS.

Phenomenal Strike Reported from Esther Claim in Searchlight District—Malcolm MacDonald Returns from San Toy Mines, Mexico. Skidoo Blue Jay in Luck.

Like the ripples from a pebble thrown into a placid pool, Los Angeles money is finding its way into the furthermost mining districts and seems not to be hindered by clime or by distance. Los Angelenos are winning reward from the earth in Venezuela, in Colombia, in Mexico, in all the neighboring States and Territories, and now a large sum of money has found its way to the snow-clad North to develop the vast copper riches of the Copper River.

Not less than $100,000 has already been supplied by four local capitalists for the exploitation of the possessions of the Alaska United Copper Company, and of that amount $40,000 has been paid over within the past few days. The company is one of the largest operators in the district, sharing the premier honors of development with the Guggenheim Exploration Syndicate, which is spending enormous sums in opening up the district.

L. C. Dillman, the president and general manager of the company, is a visitor at the Alexandria Hotel, and from him are gleaned some facts which will give some idea of the extent and richness of the northern copper fields.

The Alaska United Copper Company was organized as a parent or holding company, and in the early days of the Copper River discoveries sent fully equipped parties of prospectors into the interior, in charge of competent mining engineers. The result of these expeditions is shown by the immense areas now controlled by the company, while parties are still in the field, and its possessions are being added to every year. Five parties were sent out by the company last year. One on the Streina and Gilahina Rivers, one on the Kuskulina, another on the Nazina and others on Bremner and Prince William Sound. The company now has fifteen big properties, comprising over 150 claims.

The Westover group is probably the most promising group at this time, and there has been exposed a cropping 150 feet long, showing forty feet of bornite and copper glance that will assay 45 per cent. in copper. Native copper is found throughout the district in massive form. The formation is Nikolai greenstone and Chitistone limestone, with the ore occurrences showing in the contact.

The Guggenheim syndicate is expending vast sums in opening up their Bonanza group, which is said to show fifty-two feet of 70 per cent. copper and to have many millions of dollars' worth of ore in sight. That the showings must be immense is proved by the fact that two railroads are rushing to the front against almost insuperable odds. One is being built by the Guggenheims and the other by a Philadelphia syndicate, represented by Dr. Bruner, who formerly practiced medicine in the Slocan district during the early excitement in that British Columbia silver-lead camp.

The Guggenheim railroad is already completed twenty miles out from the terminus, and by next summer will reach its objective point, Abercrombie Rapids. Above that point the river is navigable and ore shipments and supplies will take that route. Last summer 1900 men were employed in construction, and 300 tons of general supplies have been sent into the district to await resumption of operations. An aerial tramway, eight miles in length, was constructed to transport these supplies. A sawmill, with a capacity of 30,000 feet a day, has been built and two steamers, each 120 feet long and 40 feet wide, were transported in sections from Valdez to Copper River, a distance of over twenty miles. The operations outlined for the coming season will eclipse anything done in the district in the past, and a large influx of soldiers of fortune is expected.

Faith in Greenwater.

Malcolm MacDonald, banker of Tonopah, and one of the prominent leaders in the mineral development of Nevada, is in the city on his way to Tonopah, after a visit to the San Toy mines, in Chihuahua, Mex. This property is controlled by Charles Schwab and his friends, and is now shipping 400 tons of high-grade silver-lead ore to the Torreon smelter daily. Recently a second aerial tramway from the mines to Juarez, has been completed and there is still more ore being mined than the equipment can properly take care of.

Mr. MacDonald is interested in every camp of any prominence in Nevada and the western portion of California, and was prominent in the flotation of several Tonopah and Goldfield properties, the Montgomery-Shoshone at Rhyolite and the Greenwater and Death Valley at Greenwater.

In speaking of the latter, he expresses the opinion that the last chapter concerning Greenwater has by no means been written and still has the utmost faith that the camp will yet make good. So far as the Greenwater and Death Valley is concerned, it has already let contracts to take the main Junction shaft to the 1000-foot level, and if this depth proves nothing, greater depth will be attained. The work will be pushed as fast as money and men can perform it.

He believes that the situation in Nevada has improved wonderfully and that the State will now successfully cope with the turbulent element. With the deportation of possibly twenty men he believes peace would be permanently restored.

Excitement at Searchlight.

Word comes from Searchlight that what is locally considered a phenomenally rich strike has just been made on the Esther group, situate two and a half miles north of the town. The showing has been developed for 2000 feet on the surface and eighty tons of ore already taken out. The width of the vein is said to be from three to eight feet and will horn well for a great part of the distance. Grab samples run into the hundreds, while one sample from the No. 1 shaft has returned $945.90 per ton, according to an assay made by Stone & Brown. The strike has been kept quiet until the owners could fully verify their good luck, but there now seems to be no doubt that the find is as big as they first thought. The ground is bounded on the southwest by the Le Roy and Pompeii, on the south by the Golden Calf and Goldfields, on the east by the Florence, on the north by the New Era, while the Blossom is not far to the southwest. The discovery has caused great excitement in camp and will result in further developments in the particular region.

Skidoo Blue Jay.

The Skidoo Blue Jay property, in the Skidoo district, in which J. R. Talpey and Samuel R. Pierce, of this city, are heavily interested, has recently made a strike of great importance to the future of the property on its Carmen claim. At a depth of fifty feet there is a full bottom of gold-bearing quartz carrying upwards of $160 to the ton. The vein has proven continuously rich from the surface and in the last twenty feet has widened considerably. The recent satisfactory developments on the Gold Bird claim of the Granite Contact Company has greatly stimulated interest in the Blue Jay property, as it is situated between the properties of the Granite Contact and Skidoo Mines companies. It is generally admitted that the Blue Jay and Gold Bird veins are one and the same.

Movements of Mining Men.

G. B. Wilson, manager of the Quartette mine, at Searchlight, is spending a few days at the Alexandria.

J. M. Sutherland of Virgin, Utah, is a guest at the Hollenbeck and will remain for some days.

Tom Keane, locator of the Great Bend and other properties at Goldfield and brother of Jack Keane, locator of the Keane Wonder, is in the city.

Ole Elliott of Goldfield, one of the pioneers in the new Hart gold district, is at the Alexandria. He brings good reports from the new candidate for auriferous honors and some fine free-gold samples which seem to denote that there is some basis for his glowing stories.

TAFT ON PROPERTY RIGHTS.

The friend of the laboring man is he who will tell him the plain, blunt truth. Judged by that test—and it is the only test—there is not a better friend of what is called American labor in all the Union than William Howard Taft. There are men who will protest their solicitude for labor, who will condole with it, fall on its neck and weep salt tears over it, and all the time lie for it, for the reason that it is a moral and political impossibility for these gentry to keep their spinal columns, if they have any, erect in the presence of any citizenship that can vote. No need to mention them. They have all been marked.

Mr. Taft tells labor that capital, too, has rights, and that the salvation of labor is the guarantee of property. Unless capital gets adequate return for its enterprise, where is labor going to find a job? Men do not establish factories solely to employ labor and pay it a wage, but factories are erected and put into operation to earn dividends for capital. To earn such dividends labor is necessary, and that labor must not only be well paid, but it must be content with its wage and its environments.

Mr. Taft also tells labor that it is wrong to boycott, and he then warns capital that it is wrong to blacklist. He approves and applauds the combinations of labor, and asserts its right to strike when it feels that it is oppressed; but he declares that unorganized labor has as much right to work as organized, and we do not believe this generation of the American electorate will choose any man to the great place of President who teaches anything else.

This paper is not the organ of Mr. Taft, or of anybody else, but it indorses his Cooper Union speech, and such sentiments as he there uttered would add strength to any candidate of either party for President of the United States.

This is yet a government of justice as well as of law, of common sense as well as of patriotism.—[Washington Post.

GOES HOME FOR BRIDE.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Very quietly today Miss Mabel H. Fishwyck, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. George Fishwyck of Hyde Park, was married to Clarence H. Hinsdale of Los Angeles, a former Cincinnatian.

The ceremony was performed by Rev. Dudley W. Rhodes in his home in Mt. Auburn, and only Mr. and Mrs. Fishwyck and Albert Fishwyck, the brother of the bride, were present.

Mr. Hinsdale came on from Los Angeles, where he is in the real estate business, Tuesday, and with his bride he left for their home immediately after the ceremony.

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Editorial Pen Points

Among the nations Japan now occupies the position of a Wall street plunger.

Better twenty automobiles of Europe than a bicycle of Cathay, as the old saying has it.

The ingenious brown man has at last discovered that he can no longer raise money by raising a loan.

Perhaps if Kentucky knew when she were well off she would refrain from electing a United States senator at all.

People who call these times hard times either did not live in the other ones or else they have very short memories.

Sulphur is good for the human system and dried fruit is also excellent. What's the matter with Dr. Wiley, anyway?

Anna Gould is coming home again to live, but the question is will she call it living after the time she has had in Paris?

One welcome innovation in the Thaw case is that this time the opposing counsel are not trying to say so many witty things.

Paris appears to have fleeced Jay Gould's descendants out of a good deal of what Jay fleeced out of other spots on the map.

The Panama Canal to be finished in six years, eh? Get a move on you, William Mulholland, or Goethals will win the race.

There is a girl in Great Falls, Mont., who says she has never been kissed. It isn't every girl who would be willing to acknowledge it.

Deprive the world of California prunes and it will deteriorate as Greece did when it threw down the breadsword for the zither.

Well, there is at least the satisfaction of knowing that neither James Hazen Hyde nor Willy Wally Astor intends to return to this country.

Of course it goes without saying that when Anna Gould returns to New York she will not neglect to bring a sufficient supply of limelight along with her.

While Heney and Langdon are puzzling their wits for a way to keep Ruef out of prison the public is eager to know why a way is not found to keep him in.

In Europe, of course, it is different, but in this country a Prince is either a fellow who blows his money away like a drunken sailor or is the family dog.

It seems like the irony of fate that the Pope who, whenever he could have a good dinner gave it away to some hungry person, should be troubled with the gout.

The Indiana State Republican convention to select national delegates will meet April 1, just as though the Fairbanks boom were not sufficiently a joke as it is.

The report is that Anna Gould's purpose in coming home is to seek rest and quiet. This leads to the suspicion that she may take up her residence in Philadelphia.

"The field against Taft" simply means that a combination has been formed to down both Taft and Roosevelt. To a man up a tree it looks like a pretty hefty undertaking.

If Count Boni and Count Helie also come to New York they will be at perfect liberty to spit on each other, but they are reminded that it is against the law to spit on the sidewalk.

The crying scarcity of the yen of the realm over yonder in the green isles of Nippon is the most immediate guarantee that there will be no war until at least the middle of next summer.

Dr. Wiley is respectfully but emphatically informed that thousands of people have been eating California dried fruits for many years and that it has never done them anything but good.

The financial stringency has compelled a large number of people to return to their former vocations, but we have not heard that John D. Rockefeller is again clerking in a grocery store.

For further elucidation of Mr. Bryan's theory of government ownership of railroads, students of political economy are respectfully referred to the tight fix Japan finds herself in at the present writing.

The name Grosscup is a corruption of the German word "grosskopf," which means "big head." But the latest reports indicate that an eminent jurist in Chicago is not just now suffering with the complaint.

Japan will have trouble on her hands now that she intends to prevent China from building railroads. The building of railroads means work, and work is what a Chinaman likes better than anything else.

Speaking of "wine, women and song," attention is called to the fact that even though the prohibition movement may cut the wine out the two remaining factors will be able to keep things from growing unnaturally dull.

Our friend, the Mikado, in his dream of empire, reminds us of our other old friend, the renowned Owen Moore, of whom it was said:

"Owen Moore left home one day,
Owin' more than he could pay."

SIX YEARS AND THEN?

In six years, Secretary Taft assures us, the Panama Canal will be completed and the two great oceans wed. It will then be in order to write on a tablet at each end: "What God hath joined together, let no man put asunder."

To be sure, it will be American brains and money which will do the work directly, but God is at all times behind these things. God can make even tainted money clean, as He makes tainted hearts clean.

Well, it is the best news that the country has heard for a long time. It is the best news that the world has heard in these latest years. To the "Coast" it is superlatively good news. It will quicken every pulse of business for us.

There is one important thing to do in view of this prompt completion of the big ditch—let the big fleet stay with us until it can return via the canal! What a glorious thing it would be if the first ships to pass the cut should be Admiral Evans's sixteen battleships!

THE WRONG WAY TO FRAME A CHARTER.

The city of Los Angeles needs a new charter, or at least some amendments to the one now in force.

We have had experience in past days with charter-making and charter-tinkering, especially the latter. We have frequently tried to get a charter to meet the needs of the city. There were always put on the charter commission a number of dreaming reformers, or of men confused in mind or weak in spirit, who packed into the fundamental law of Los Angeles as many of the empirical notions of the half-baked, new-light experimenters as it was judged the voters would stand for. This affliction has cost the city much money and more annoyance for years.

A charter should represent in a broad and fundamental way the interests which are common to all who live in Los Angeles. Every provision of this organic law should apply to all citizens and all organizations in the same way. Class legislation must be vicious legislation. Any law which favors one class must injure another class.

City charters are usually framed by a charter commission, and this commission should be selected from the general body of the voters, taken simply as citizens, and no consideration should attach to their alliance with any society, church, club, organization or clique. The intelligent citizen, free from clique alliances, is the best one for such a committee, other things being equal. Every voter in the city has an equal interest in the charter and in the committee which frames the charter. The best way to select a charter commission would be by a general election at which any body of citizens might submit any name they please for the decision of the whole body of voters. The initiative must come from the City Council.

This honorable body has taken the initiative, the first step toward a charter commission. The step, we regret to say, is gravely a false one. It is the weakest thing the Council has done. Instead of choosing from the body of the people a charter commission composed of independent freeholders of the city, this privilege has been intrusted to a small percentage of the whole body of the people, and with notable exceptions, like the Chamber of Commerce and the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association, the choice of commissioners is made not by the most level-headed people of the city, but in some measure by the most dangerous.

Instead of a commission of freeholders from the body of the people selected by the body of the people we have a commission of members of seven organizations, selected by the members of these organizations, some numerous, some few, some good, some indifferent, and some absolutely bad, pestiferous and dangerous. The persons selected by these seven bodies, some large, some small, some imaginary, are like the bodies from which they come. Of the fourteen members of the commission thus selected more than half will lose sight of every general interest of the people generally and confine their activities to grafting into the organic law of the city provisions which will tend directly to class legislation. What can we expect but class legislation from a class commission? What can be expected but experiments in municipal government from dreamers whose whole life is devoted to a weak effort to upset every fundamental idea in our American system of government? What can be looked for but trouble from professional agitators?

Take for example one of the so-called organizations entrusted with the selection of this commission on charter-making. What is Doc Haynes's Voters' League? Who compose it? "Doc" Haynes and "Rev." J. B. Irvine. As a "league" it is imaginary; it is a humbug; it is a bluff. What are its objects? What has it done? This example is perhaps as bad as we could have selected, but it is no worse—bad as it is—than others. Why were such narrow, unrepresentative, mischievous class organizations given any hand in this important business?

If we are to have a city charter of organizations, by organizations and for organizations, why, then, were not all the organizations in the city allowed to participate, so that if the charter is not to stand for the interests of all the body of the people as citizens it shall at least stand for the interest of all the societies as organizations? Why are not the churches allowed to have some hand in the work? They include in their membership more voters than all the organizations favored by the Council put together. They stand for what is good and are not engaged in making trouble. They have a high average intelligence. They represent much property. Why were not the churches represented?

Why are not the G.A.R. posts allowed to send delegates to this charter convention? They embrace a numerous body of men, generally good, law-abiding citizens. They stand for American ideas and are of unquestioned patriotism.

The Loyal Legion is a similar organization. No body of citizens stands higher in respect to all that makes good citizenship. There are the Masonic lodges, a very numerous body of citizens generally of high character in every way. Why were they not invited to participate? Why not the Odd Fellows, Native Sons, W.C.T.U., Y.M.C.A., and a hundred other organizations, vastly more numerous in membership than the little private club called "the Voters' League." If the walking delegates and bosses of the labor trust are to have their voice in making the new charter, why not the Social Democrats, why not the Theosophists, why not the Free Thought Association, why not the Royal Arch, why not the Chinese tongs?

It is a foregone conclusion that this charter commission will give us a charter which will be not a well-digested, organic law, homogeneous in its broad, fair Americanism, but "a thing of shreds and patches," parti-colored as Joseph's coat, divergent in its provisions as the spokes of a wheel, meant not to secure a fair administration of city affairs, but made up of crude notions, untried, unproved, imported, giving one class of men unjust advantages over another, full, too, of cross-lights as misleading as an ignis fatuus in a dark night in the midst of a dangerous bog.

The sane men representing the Chamber of Commerce, the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association, the clearinghouse and business organizations, deserve all respect, but they will be outvoted in the commission by the freaks, the socialists and the "new lights," who are in the majority, thanks to the stupid procedure of the Council.

We are not prepared to say whether or not Martin Littleton is a great lawyer, but we do know that if he shall be the means of preventing Evelyn Thaw from repeating her story on the witness stand he is entitled to the gratitude of the country.

"HOW'LL YOU TRADE?"

THE STRINGED JAP.

Really the most objectionable thing about the Japanese, from an American point of view, is that they come to this country with strings on them. They are an industrious people, willing and eager to work, and, under certain restrictions, they fill a want when they come here. Those who go into business and compete with merchants already established are not so welcome as are the coolies who hire out as house servants or as field laborers. Still, the right to enter mercantile channels would not be gainsaid if other things were equal.

The objection to the Japanese—coolies, merchants, professional men and all alike—is that they come here to make money, to live and thrive, but are ready at the Mikado's call to return and take up arms against the United States. This point of view is intolerable. No man, no family and no nation wants to warm a snake that may some day strike. The feeling that the Jap can never be made into anything but an alien is and must be distasteful to the American people when they take him into consideration. It is this feeling more than any other which causes the brown man to be considered an unwelcome visitor to these shores.

It is the strength of the United States that its population is composed of the people of all nations. Those who come here to live from distant lands and away from other governments make good and patriotic citizens. They turn out to be as warm in their devotion to the flag and the nation as are the native borns themselves. We have had no battlefield that was not dyed with the blood of men of foreign birth who gave up their lives gladly and heroically for the land of their adoption. From Lexington down to Appomattox there are lying in the trenches American soldiers whose first breath was drawn in the British Isles, in Germany, Russia, France and nearly all the countries of the world.

But, if Japan and the United States were to go to war tomorrow, or at any time beyond, almost every man Jap in the land would hie himself away to Nippon to shoulder a gun against us. Everybody knows this to be true; there is no denial of it from any source. It is not a pleasant thing to think of, and it really explains why the Jap is not liked.

AMENDING ALDRICH BILL.

There is one thing very clear about Senator Aldrich in connection with his bill for emergency currency. The Rhode Island Senator is no theorist irretrievably committed to his own notions. He is a practical man of affairs, and knows that no one person's views are likely to be faultless.

The provisions of the bill having been published, the bankers and business men took up the subject and asked for certain amendments. Instead of following the usual tactics of the theorist who insists always that every detail of his own notions is best, Senator Aldrich has proceeded to submit his bill to the process of amendment in the Senate Committee on Banking before presenting it to the whole body of Senators.

The amendments go pretty deeply into defects in the bill as seen by bankers throughout the country generally, and particularly here in Los Angeles. One of the defects pointed out by bankers here and elsewhere is that $250,000,000 emergency currency provided for in the original bill may not prove sufficient under all circumstances. The recent flurry caused an increase of money by the importation of gold and the expanding of national bank circulation of about $220,000,000. In the large cities the clearinghouse banks used certificates to meet their daily balances, which afforded relief equal to many million dollars. Then there was the scrip for general circulation, of which a city of our own size used $3,000,000. Taking the country all through, this form of circulating medium probably reached $500,000,000. It was in view of these facts that the Fowler bill provided for the issuance of emergency currency amounting to $1,000,000,000, or even more. The amendment of the Aldrich bill provides for doubling the emergency currency, thus giving an opportunity to the banks of issuing $500,000,000 to relieve any great stringency.

Another amendment, also meeting in part the views expressed by our own bankers in a recent series of interviews published in The Times, provides for the depositing of securities of a little broader scope than that provided in the original bill. Almost any municipal bonds are to be made available for this purpose. The provision undoubtedly comes in response to the contention of the western banks that the original bill showed a little favoritism toward the banks of the largest eastern cities, New York especially.

Of course, every extension made in the securities pledged for the redemption of this emergency currency tends toward encouraging inflation. To guard against this evil, the proposed amendment contemplates a sliding scale of taxation. Circulation issued upon the basis provided in the original bill is to be taxed 6 per cent., and securities of less stability are to call for an increase of the tax up to 10 per cent. upon such notes as should be issued on the least valid of the securities allowed. Of course, here again anyone can see a possible defect. The question of the validity of the bonds must be decided by some person, probably the Secretary of the Treasury or the Comptroller of the Currency. Upon the honesty of purpose and the financial wisdom of the officer deciding this question we would have to rely.

Possibly other amendments will be suggested later on before the Aldrich bill is finally submitted to the Senate; but it seems to be "arranged" that when once the bill is submitted it will pass the Senate with but little opposition. The Democratic members, particularly those of the radical stripe, will have ample opportunity to blow off steam, and then the proposed measure will go through smoothly. In the House it is generally understood that Speaker Cannon will give it right of way over all other legislation, and, according to the rules governing procedure in the House of Representatives, "Uncle Joe" can so fix it that too much time will not be consumed in discussing the bill, which, we are told,

TAFT NUGGETS.

"Government ownership would put power in hands of one man or set of men that would make you tremble for safety of the republic."

"To destroy the guaranties of property is a direct blow at the interests of the workingmen.

"It is in the interest of the workingman that corporate capital should be fairly treated."

is scheduled to pass without unnecessary delay. Once through the two houses of Congress, the President will undoubtedly sign it and the bill will become a law.

JAPANESE HUMOR NOT APPRECIATED.

While the United States does not claim to have a monopoly of the continent's humor, it must be admitted that there is something in the charge that Canadians lack this saving grace. The best they seem to be able to do on the other side of parallel forty-nine is to be optimistically serious. They take their pleasures sadly, like the British, and not infrequently they entirely miss the point of a joke which tickles American ribs.

For example, Count Okuma, the gentleman who suggests "India for the Indians" and who would force Japanese upon American and Canadian shores alike, has become interested in a Japanese sugar-beet colony at Gliechen, Alberta. He says he is backing the enterprise "for the novelty of the thing, and to give Canadians an opportunity of admiring the Japanese for what they can do." And, would you believe it, the Canucks cannot see the joke!

Instead of appreciating this new mine of Japanese humor, in place of digging the pickaxe of laughter into this Okuma vein of fun, they attacked it with the dynamite of wrath and in the subsequent explosion all trace of oriental mirth was blown to smithereens.

Count Okuma and his friends propose to place in their colony on the Canadian prairie a class of farmers of a distinctly higher type than the usual run of Japanese with whom this coast is acquainted. That fact gives some Canadian editors heart disease. "It opens up an aspect of the Asiatic question of tenfold more seriousness than the importation of coolie laborers," declares one excited writer, while another remarks that "if this sugar-beet experiment succeeds, as no doubt it will, and no check is put upon its operations, Western Canada will become largely a Japanese colony."

This, coming from a people which has established Doukhobors, Galicians and other European incompetents in its great west, is indescribably funny, but the merry fancy of it does not appeal to them. We are sorry for Count Okuma; his "josh" has failed to make good. "Count Okuma says for to let Canadians to see in us admiration," naively remarked the promoter of the colony to a newspaperman. That is hopeless; if they cannot admire Japanese jokes they will fail to be impressed by other Asiatic qualities, even if every brown man who came to this side of the ocean were an Admirable Crichton.

OUT IN THE OPEN.

Don't you love it, out in the open? where the earth can see the sky,
And nothing comes between them but the bluebird skimming by?
Or the circling, cawing crows, quite at ease and quite at home,
As they follow where the plowman turns the swelling sandy loam.

How the sun along the meadows greets the coming of the grain!
How the willows, crowding softly, give the stream a lovers' lane!
In the corners of the fences tower the pampas, bold and tall,
While the simple yellow flowers flock around them, sweet and small.

There's a fragrance from the ground and from the leaves, from everywhere—
A hint of health and happiness from realms of sunny air;
And everything looks big and free, as if content to give
The same delightful privilege—to grow, and love, and live!

RUBY ARCHER.

THE CURE FOR LOVE.

W. E. Grange, author of the "History of Primitive Love," referred, in the course of a lecture in Boston, says the Herald, to the modern cynical view of love that prevails.

"I remember once," said Professor Grange, "hearing two very ordinary men, a bricklayer and a plumber, discuss love in a smoking car.

"'I hold,' said the bricklayer, 'that if you are terribly in love, the way to cure yourself is to run away.'

"The plumber shook his head and sneered:

"'That will cure you,' he said, 'provided you run away with the girl.'"

New York sugar merchants are interested in the proposition to build and operate what will eventually be one of the largest sugar factories in South America. The name of the enterprise is the Colombia Sugar Company, which has been incorporated under the laws of the State of New York, with a capital of $1,000,000. The plant, which will cost about $750,000, will be situated in the vicinity of the township of Sincerin, Department of Bolivar, about thirty miles from Cartagena. There are said to be 2000 acres already under cane on the property. Colombia at present gets most of its sugar from United States and Germany. The enterprise is to be operated after the same methods prevailing on the large Cuban sugar estates.

STREAKS OF HUMOR.

A Figure of Speech.

"Dad," inquired Freddy, "what is a figure of speech?"

"Where's your mother?" asked Dad, ignoring the question.

"She's down stairs," answered the boy.

"Well, then," began Dad, "a figure of speech is a woman!"—[Philadelphia Inquirer.

Didn't Know the State.

"And how long did you live in South Dakota, Mr. Thirdson?"

"How long? Good gracious, you wouldn't expect me to live there an hour longer than was necessary to comply with the law, would you?"—[Chicago Record-Herald.

Had Reasonable Objections.

The husband of the pretty actress had shot at the press agent.

"Now, see here," exclaimed the agent with some impatience; "you oughtn't to be so careless. Next time don't stand so close. Those blank cartridges scorch a man at six feet."—[Philadelphia Ledger.

Knew Her Weight.

"It would please me mightily, Miss Stout," said Mr. Mugley, "to have you go to the theater with me this evening."

"Have you secured the seats?" asked Miss Stout.

"Oh, come now," he protested; "you're not as heavy as all that."—[Catholic Standard and Times.

Knew His Own Capacity.

Jones: This chicken is 14 years old.

Smith: How can you tell the age of a chicken?

Jones: By its teeth.

Smith: By the teeth! Chickens don't have any teeth.

Jones: But I have.

HOROSCOPE FOR Saturday, January 18, 1913.

Tempt thy superiors not to sudden wrath.
For this the day an evil omen hath.

This night the year's first moon is full and in apogee. Saturn, promising good things for all dealings connected with the earth, is in benefic aspect.

Avoid hostile encounters with superiors. There is sharp recrimination in the air. Employés who are tempted to air a grievance of any kind will do well to "sleep on it."

Be most careful in signing writings.

An excellent day for dealing with farmers, purchasing land or houses, or for negotiating crops, live stock or other farm produce.

Miners who seek on this day are prosperous underground.

Exciting news is on its way from the sea.

Idle curiosity is likely to lead to danger this day.

Bake, brew, hire maids, plan garments, dress household effects.

Letters from insolent young persons will probably annoy the woman whose birthdate this is. Otherwise her year will be a propitious one.

A difficult complication will confront the man who has a birthdate on this date. His position will be threatened, and he can hold it only by supreme passion and facing the situation with absolute candor and truth.

The girl born this day will be too fond of company and inclined to sacrifice things of the day for pleasure.

The boy born this day must be guarded against evil companions. He will be clever and [illegible]

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MUSIC AND THE STAGE.

Reports from Claremont state that the "Pinafore" production given by the members of the Claremont choral union Thursday evening was a high artistic success.

The same production, with Witherspoon in the title role, will be given in Simpson Auditorium this evening, when additional effects will be secured by the use of the organ, which will be played by Mrs. S. H. Blakesley. This chorus, under Prof. Bacon's direction, has worked together for five years, numbers 100 voices, and is probably the finest general chorus in the Southwest today.

The soloists tonight will be Mme. Guerra Johnstone-Bishop, soprano; Norma Reckhold-Robbins, contralto; Abraham Miller, tenor, and Herbert Wilkinson, bass. The orchestra will be under the concertmastership of Arnold Krauss.

The woman of the hour in New York is Luisa Tetrazzini. She has made a furore identical with that stirred up by Caruso several years ago, when his great golden voice was heard for the first time in America, intoning the language measures alloted to the Duke, in "Rigoletto." Tetrazzini's début at the Manhattan Operahouse, a few days ago, was the signal for most unprecedented outbursts, both from men and from women. Ladies in the boxes buried their jewels over the footlights, and fellow-singers stood in the wings and wept in the stress of emotional excitement.

Yet while Caruso was new to American shores, Tetrazzini is really no stranger to this continent, but has filled extended engagements in California. Really, it was the echo of Tetrazzini's triumphs in this State, several years ago, which eddied clear across the country and set the Metropolitan Operahouse people thinking. Then, through a combination of circumstances—each party to the contract hating the other—the preliminary arrangements were broken, and Mme. Tetrazzini faded from the public mind. But she was only a quiescent star, and burst out with dazzling luster in London not long ago, and the English capital went wild.

Frank Healy, manager and proprietor of the light opera company at the Los Angeles Theater, was closely associated with Tetrazzini during her last season in San Francisco, and was at that time assisting "Doc" Leahy, leading figure of the old Tivoli Opera-house—who is really responsible for Tetrazzini's introduction to America.

"Tetrazzini was an amiable little girl," said Healy, reminiscently, yesterday afternoon, "and contrary to the custom of most prima donne, she would work herself quite down and out rather than miss a performance or any engagement made for her to attend.

"I remember one 'Dinorah' night—a night in which she not only sang, but sang magnificently, by the way, which was after a day in which Tetrazzini had been violently ill. She had endeavored to rehearse, had fainted and had been carried from the stage. The manager of the house posted the notice at the Tivoli lobby that Tetrazzini was indisposed, and told me to be ready with all my change to refund on the spot. The sign was scarcely up ere the gathering carried the news back stage. Tetrazzini was lying ill in her dressing-room, and an understudy was hastily completing a make-up for the part. As soon as she had heard it, she scribbled a hasty note to me, rushed it out to the box office and prone to dress. I went in, intending to see her—she couldn't stand. She was in the wings, leaning on her maid—she couldn't stand. And for the final catastrophe, but when her cue came—her cue-bar she seemed to transform herself, leaped out onto the stage and sang gaily as a fairy—and sang divinely the whole evening.

"My first meeting with Tetrazzini was laughable. We had a strict dog law in our house, and no actors, not even leading men or great tenors, were allowed to carry their pups on the stage. The night before Tetrazzini arrived the stage doorkeeper had had an encounter with the leading bass over his dog, in which the dog was thrown out, and the distinguished singer badly thrashed. Tetrazzini, however, had carried her tiny Chihuahua under her cloak to her dressing-room, and not only her dog, but a litter of wee puppies. Presently the dog emerged innocently out on the open stage, and that doorkeeper, an expression of stern justice in his eye, made for it. There was a quiet scene on, and in whispers were subdued in the wings. Just as I tiptoed in softly this man had the dog, and was gently opening the door to hurl it into the street. Tetrazzini, standing idly near by, saw, and began to shriek 'Madre! Madre!' at the top of her voice. Pandemonium was transmitted, and Tetrazzini, the brilliant soprano carried away in the top gallery. In the confusion the prima donna seized "madre" and carried her back to her babies.

"That time—two and one-half years ago—Tetrazzini was entirely unspoiled, but few of the notions affected by spoiled vocal artists. When the company came into the Tivoli, the Tivoli opera company had just gone broke. If it was a permanent organization, not only the leading woman, but the soubrette, had their own cheval-glasses in their dressing-rooms. These went with them. The house furnished one cheval-glass for the whole chorus. Ticci, soprano leggiero, had in her dressing-room the first night, and the next night, when Petrella, dramatic soprano, had to sing Leonora, there was a combination of cyclone, earthquake and thunderstorm on the stage because the cheval-glass was not in her room. On the first night Tetrazzini was heard. nobody thought of the cheval-glass. I went back to see how on earth the prima donna had missed it, and found her making-up in front of a little hand-mirror-glass, which she had bought at a near-by trinket shop.

"Then was the episode of the row in "Boheme," to my mind the best of the many pranks she played in San Francisco. When the curtain is in front of the Café Momus scene, as I thought I detected a familiar figure in the mob of street-venders and shawlwives, and there, sure enough, was our Tetrazzini, with the prestige of disguises. But the story is yet to come. I paid off myself on Saturday, and found a stately line of middle-aged chorus women—you know them—stood in a row in the office waiting for me to hand them their pay. I paid out, monotonously, and with a familiar rippling laugh coming in front of me, and there, sure enough, was Tetrazzini, jokingly asking for her "Boheme" compensation.

"Tetrazzini has considerable talent as an actress, a qualification unusual with Italian prima donna, and in Boheme dressed her parts with

Mrs. Thomas G. Baker, wife of Thomas G. Baker of the Examiner, died in the East Monday night, where she had been under treatment for some months. The immediate cause of Mrs. Baker's death was heart trouble, induced by tuberculosis of the throat, from which she had been suffering for five years.

Two years ago she went East to consult specialists in hopes that they might benefit her. She was reported better, and had started to her home here next month, visiting at El Paso on the way. She was taken seriously ill shortly after Christmas, however, and grew steadily worse until the end. Funeral arrangements are not yet completed, but it is probable that she will be buried in the East.

A strictly professional row between the forces of the property man and the stage carpenter, at the Auditorium last night, nearly disrupted the bill, and caused a stage wait of almost half an hour before matters were finally adjusted.

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Men's winter weight underwear from the famous Winsted mills; natural wool; reduced from $1.50 to $1.25 each.
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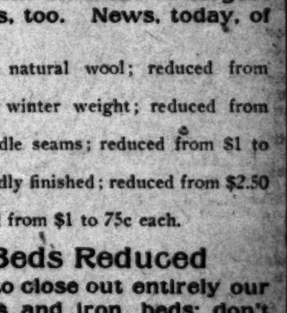

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HONORS.

ROYALTY DECORATES LIBRETTIST PIXLEY.

F. FRANK PIXLEY, the clever librettist of several musical comedy successes, should ever give up dramatic work and essay to enter the exclusive circles of European royalty, he has made a racing start. Already he is a chevalier of the Portuguese Order of Christ, and is entitled to wear the coveted decoration of the Order of Vasco Da Gama.

Frank Pixley, Librettist of "Prince of Pilsen," only dramatist in this country to be decorated with royal orders of Portugal, bestowed by the King in recognition of the talent of the American. Around and below the portrait are the golden ornaments.

Pixley is the only American dramatist to be thus signally honored, and he owes it to the wonderfully fetching "Prince of Pilsen." Some time ago the King of Portugal saw the tuneful musical comedy at one of the London theaters. He was greatly pleased with it, and immediately inquired about its author.

That his enthusiasm was lasting was proven later, when Pixley received a communication from the Portuguese Minister at Washington, stating that he had been given the two great orders of the King. Shortly after, the decorations arrived by express.

"I have not given any publicity to the honor bestowed upon me," said the librettist yesterday at the Alexandria. "Some of the critics might have made unkind allusions to press-agent tales and all that."

Of course, he meant that the story of his orders would be classed as a fairy tale by blasé critics, who would remember that Pixley is responsible for a song in "King Dodo" about the man with the numerous medals.

GOLD, AND VALUABLE.

But the dramatist need have no fears on that score, for the decorations are made of real gold, and possess value apart from the sentimental association. At present they repose in a strong box at the hotel, and have been taken out but once since their owner arrived in the city. Pixley refuses to place an intrinsic value on the golden trinkets—it is probably thousands of dollars—but the two orders are so highly esteemed on the Continent that many a "Mr. New Rich" would give a small fortune to obtain the honors that the orders bestow upon the wearer.

The Order of Vasco Da Gama commemorates the successful voyage of the daring navigator, who discovered a sea route to the East India Islands five years before Columbus set foot on American soil. Upon his return to Portugal he received the Order of Christ in reward for his services to the crown. Long after his death the Order of Vasco Da Gama was instituted to do honor to the memory of the brave voyager.

The decoration is in the form of a curiously-wrought chain, intended to be worn about the neck. Some of the links bear the impress of a miniature globe, and others have an anchor embossed upon a coil of cable. The heavy medal at the bottom of the chain has a motto on one side, and the name of the Royal Geographical Society of Lisbon on the obverse side. This order gives the recipient an honorary membership in the Royal Geographical Society of London, and Pixley often wears the green button of that noted scientific body.

There is also a miniature medal attached to a ribbon which can be worn on informal occasions. The order of Vasco Da Gama is usually bestowed upon those who have achieved prominence in literature or science.

CHEVALIER, ORDER OF CHRIST.

The other order bestowed by Don Carlos of Portugal is a splendid cross which betokens that the wearer is a chevalier of the Order of Christ. The Kings of Portugal and England wear the sacred emblem studded with diamonds and rubies. That given to Pixley is in white and red enamel and gold. It is to be worn about the neck and is held by a heavy silk ribbon. A court dress of white broadcloth with a monk's cowl was formerly worn by knights of the order, but it is seldom used except at the burial of the member.

"As I do not intend to die just at present, I think I can dispense with the full regalia," remarked the librettist.

A miniature cross and a tiny red ribbon can be worn when the member of the order does not care to assume the full decoration.

"Naturally, I am very proud of the two orders," said Pixley. "It would be foolish to pretend otherwise. The gift came as a complete surprise to me. It is not likely that the occasion will arise when I should feel justified in wearing either order."

It was suggested the dramatist might desire to enter European court circles some day after he retires from the "profession."

"I do not intend to retire just at present," remarked Pixley, with a smile. "I appear very lazy just now. This is my vacation. Luders and I have completed our new musical comedy, which is to be produced at one of the New York theaters in the spring. Its name at present is 'Marcelle.' The scenes are laid in Germany near the French border. The heroine has a prima donna role. Possibly Marguerite Clark, DeWolf Hopper's leading woman, may play the title role. She began her theatrical career as a chorus girl in the 'Burgomaster.'

The "Prince of Pilsen" was written by Pixley and Luders about eight years ago. The two young men worked on the comedy while in Vienna and also wrote while recreating in the Austrian Tyrol. It has been sung in German, French, Japanese and English, and has been produced in nearly every civilized country. Apparently it has lost none of its first popularity, although scarcely a line or a note has been changed since its initial production.

The tuneful musical comedy has earned fortunes for the managers, actors and authors. If Pixley should padlock his typewriter forever that remarkable comedy would still support the librettist in luxury. Lucky man.

LETTERS TO THE TIMES

[The Times freely publishes the views of correspondents without holding itself responsible for writers' opinions. Be brief, write plainly, state clearly. The space of 250 words, on the average, is sufficient for the point. Well-written letters are liable to be declined merely on account of their length.]

Stilwell's Wildcat Plan.

PASADENA, Jan. 16.—[To the Editor of The Times:] I have just read in the morning issue of your paper Mr. Stilwell's currency plan, as given in his address, delivered to the Illinois Manufacturers' Association, and indorsed by them, to form a United States Bank. Mr. Stilwell proposes that every national bank be given credit with the United States Bank equal to its capital and surplus. Under this plan, the old days of "red dog" and "wildcat" would be with us. Bryan's free silver scheme would be very conservative, compared with Stilwell's plan. Mr. Aldrich's plan is sound. He should allow banks to put up, in good, approved bonds, 20 to 25 per cent. of their capital, and issue 75 per cent. in currency, and only charge one-half of 1 per cent., for the business of our country has grown so rapidly and with so many new banks west of Chicago that must necessarily carry currency. Business has more than doubled, and to carry on this business we need at least 15 or 20 per cent. more currency. Aldrich's bill for emergency currency is all right. Under Stilwell's plan banks would be organized by the thousand. It would make a new and safe business for the confidence man. All he would have to do would be to start one national bank, and then another and loan money to his friends. The United States Bank would be back of him. He would need no credit or character. A slick, smooth confidence man is all it would require, and in a few years we would have a panic equal to the panic of 1837.

S. W. ALLERTON.

GEORGIANS GET FLAG.

The Georgia Association at its last meeting decided to meet regularly on the second Tuesday evening of each month, at No. 237½ South Hill street. The next meeting will be a housewarming and a genuine Georgia feed. The association has been presented with a Georgia flag—red and black—by Mrs. Harris, chairman of the Entertainment Committee.

FOR ATHLETIC CLUB BUILDINGS.

Considerable interest centers about the meeting of the board of directors of the Los Angeles Athletic Club, scheduled for 11:30 a.m. today, which has been called for the purpose of making the final decision about the much-talked-of new building for that institution. The board of directors met last night at the club's quarters on South Spring street, but some hesitation was apparent in the meeting, several of the directors showing a desire to hang back, because of present financial conditions. No decision was reached last night, for the reason that three of the board were absent.

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Trousers, regular $2.50 and $3	2.15
Trousers, regular $3.50 and $4	2.85
Trousers, regular $4.50 and $5	3.85
Trousers, regular $6 and $8	4.85

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$ .50	Cotton Ribbed	$ .37½	$ 4.25
.75	Cotton Ribbed	.50	5.75
.50	Cotton Ribbed	.37½	4.25
1.00	Imp'd. Balbriggan	.65	7.50
1.00	Derby Rib	.75	8.50
1.25	Gray	.85	10.50
1.00	Gray	.75	8.50
1.25	Cashmere	.85	10.50
1.25	Heavy Ribbed	.85	10.50
		Each	Dozen
$1.25	Wright Fleece	$ .85	$10.50
1.50	Wool	1.12½	12.50
1.50	Worsted	1.12½	12.50
2.50	Silk Worsted	1.75	19.50
2.00	Silk Worsted	1.37	15.00
3.00	Silk Worsted	1.75	20.00
2.50	Silk Worsted	1.75	20.00
3.00	Silk Worsted	2.00	22.50
3.50	Silk Worsted	2.50	27.00

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$1.50 Union Suit	$ .95
2.00 Union Suit	1.37
2.50 Union Suit	1.75
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3.00 Union Suit	2.37
3.00 Union Suit	2.37
3.50 Union Suit	2.37
5.00 Union Suit	3.65

18,000 Shirts

$1.00 Shirts	$ .75
1.50 Shirts	1.05
2.00 Shirts	1.35
2.50 Shirts	1.65
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All 50c Fancy and Plain Hose 37½c each; $4.25 dozen.
All 25c Black and Gray Wool Hose 15c each; $2.25 dozen.
All 75c Silk Plaites 55c each; $6.00 doz.
All $1.50 Pure Silk $1.05 each; $12 doz.

7000 Night Gowns

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$1.00 Night Gowns

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STOCKHOLDERS MEETING.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT the annual meeting of the Stockholders of the California-Mexico Land and Cattle Company will be held in the office of said corporation at No. 201 New High street, in the City of Los Angeles, County of Los Angeles, State of California, on Wednesday, the 29th day of January, 1908, at 2 o'clock p.m., for the purpose of electing a board of directors of said corporation to serve for the ensuing year, and for the transaction of such other business as may come before the meeting.

D. O. ANDERSON, Secretary.

Los Angeles, Cal., Jan. 14th, 1908.

Annual Meeting of Stockholders.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Los Angeles Lighting Company will be held at the company's office, No. 645 South Hill street, Los Angeles, Cal., on Wednesday, the 22nd inst., at 2:30 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing a board of five directors to serve for the ensuing year, and until their successors shall have been elected and qualified, and also to transact such other business as may be presented for their consideration.

R. M. ADAMS, Secretary.

Los Angeles, Cal., January 7, 1908.

Annual Meeting of Stockholders.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of The Los Angeles Electric Company will be held at the company's office, No. 645 South Hill street, Los Angeles, Cal., on Wednesday, the 22nd inst., at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing a board of five directors to serve for the ensuing year, and until their successors shall have been elected and qualified, and also to transact such other business as may be presented for their consideration.

R. M. ADAMS, Secretary.

Los Angeles, Cal., January 7, 1908.

Annual Meeting of Stockholders.

The annual meeting of the stockholders of the Los Angeles Gas and Electric Company will be held at the company's office, No. 645 South Hill street, Los Angeles, Cal., on Wednesday, the 22nd inst., at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of electing a board of five directors to serve for the ensuing year, and until their successors shall have been elected and qualified, and also to transact such other business as may be presented for their consideration.

R. M. ADAMS, Secretary.

Los Angeles, Cal., January 7, 1908.

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Misses' and children's dresses in woolens and fancy worsted mixtures; sizes 4 to 14 years; plain shades, fancy checks and plaids; attractive styles; rare bargain; $3.00 dresses at $1.98.

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Values to $1.00 on Sale at 25c

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$1.48 Belts 98c

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25c Belts 12 1-2c

Children's patent leather belts with double nickel buckles, colors black, red and white, all sizes. Regular 25c belts offered at 12½c.

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$1.25 New Waists 89c

New lawn waists in five different styles; 2 open front, 3 open back; all trimmed with embroidery, dainty effects; long or short sleeves; all sizes; waists worth regular $1.25; on sale Saturday at 89c.

$2.25 New Waists at $1.48

Handsome spring styles in fine lawn waists; beautifully trimmed with lace or embroidery; allover embroidery styles and crossbar lawns; very attractive and desirable values to $2.25; sale price $1.48.

$6 Silk Petticoats $2.98

Exceptional values in fine taffeta silk petticoats; full flounces, with silk dust ruffle; colors, blue, red, lavender, coral and pink; all regular $6.00 values; incomparable offerings at $2.98.

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$7.50 Women's Walking Skirts $4.98

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15c — Values Up to 50c. Doll furniture, doll dishes, games, mechanical toys, animals, etc. Regular 50c toys on sale at 15c.

25c — Values Up to $1.25. Dolls, doll buggies, games and a varied collection of toys. Many regularly priced at $1.25, on sale at 25c.

Boy's 25c Bicycle Hose at 15c

Heavy ribbed quality boys' bicycle hose; all sizes, 6 to 10; good, durable quality, worth regular 25c pair; a feature Saturday in the Center Room; on sale at 15c. Limit 4 pairs.

Veilings and Neckwear

75c to $1.00 Veiling 49c

Popular chiffon cloth and crepe veiling, with wide satin border, in 1, 2 and 3 stripes; all colors; regular 75c to $1.00 quality on sale at 49c yard.

$2.00 Chiffon Veils 98c

Newest thing in dotted chiffon veils; hemstitched ends and sides; stylish velvet and chenille dots; veils in all shades and combination; long and square; worth regular to $2.00. On sale Saturday, 98c.

25c Neckwear 10c

A big collection of Mexican drawn, turnover collars; linen embroidered top collars and lace ties; a variety of patterns; neckwear, extra value at 25c, offered Saturday at 10c.

$1.00 Kid Gloves 59c

Short kid gloves, with 2 clasps at wrist; made of select kid, in colors; all wanted sizes; regular $1.00 gloves at 59c.

BIBLE LESSONS.

FOR SUNDAY-SCHOOL TEACHERS AND OTHER BIBLE STUDENTS.

Prepared for The Times by J. S. Kirtley.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 19.

John i. 35-51: "Jesus and His First Disciples."

THE CONNECTION.

As we learned, John the Baptist told the committee of inquiry from Jerusalem about the Messiah, and, some time during their stay, told them that He was then standing in their midst and that he was the sacrificial lamb for the world's sins. John has disposed of the committee, and now his thought is on the Christ and His mission. The next day after that testimony is this day of our lesson.

THE LESSON.

I.

"They Became His Followers." (Verses 35-40.)

"Again on the morrow John was standing, and two of his disciples; and he looked upon Jesus as He walked, and said, Behold the Lamb of God! And the two disciples heard him speak, and they followed Jesus. And Jesus turned, and beheld them following, and saith unto them, What seek ye? And they said unto Him, Rabbi (which is to say, being interpreted, Teacher,) where abidist thou? He saith unto them, Come, and ye shall see. They came therefore and saw where he abode; and they abode with Him that day: it was about the tenth hour. One of the two that heard John speak, and followed him, was Andrew, Simon Peter's brother."

(1.) Who they were.

Verse 40 gives the name of one—Andrew. The other was no doubt the writer of the story—John the Evangelist, or apostle. Assuming the latter surmise to be correct, we find more pleasure in studying him.

We must first take account of John the Baptist's influence. They were his disciples, but he had won them for Jesus. He had told them so and had taught and trained them for Him; he now points out Jesus to them, so as to confirm their conviction that this was the Christ and that they were to follow Him; he even seems to have indicated to them, as he called Him "Lamb of God," by a nod of the head or a wave of the hand, or an expression of the countenance that they were to leave him and go with the new Master. It was John's business and his highest pleasure to get disciples for Jesus.

We must next notice that Jesus attracted them to Himself by a resistless magnetism, that appealed to their whole religious nature. He wanted disciples and knew where to find them, for He knew that the Forerunner was preparing some of the very choicest of his followers for the Master. He knew how to get them, for He knew that when they came within the sphere of His influence they would surrender. He knew that he could not pay a higher tribute nor give a greater pleasure to Jean than to take some of his disciples. It would be a recognition of John's prophetic calling and of his worthy preparatory work. He drew them by His looks and then by his sympathetic words.

This came after Jesus's sacrificial sufferings in the wilderness, when He was tempted forty days. When He came back John saw something in Him that must have suggested suffering, for he called Him the suffering Lamb of God. It came after His complete conquest of Himself. The new endowments of the Spirit were incorporated in His soul in the heat of intense thought and under the assault of the most artful temptations possible. Dr. Rhees says: "His self-mastery in all circumstances separated Him from all exsteics and fanatics." "The kingliness of self-control" marked and mastered them. It was through their own inquiries that they came to seek Him. It was through his delicate courtesy and kindliness that He won their confidence and love.

(2.) Individual work for individuals. That was the method Jesus always followed, and that will be the effective method for all time.

II.

"They Became His Assistants." (Verses 41-42.)

"He findeth first his own brother Simon, and saith unto him, We have found the Messiah (which is, being interpreted, Christ.) He brought him unto Jesus. Thou art Simon the son of John; thou shalt be called Cephas (which is, by interpretation, Peter.)

On the morrow He was minded to go forth into Galilee, and He findeth Philip; and Jesus saith unto him, Follow me. Now Philip was from Bethsaida, of the city of Andrew and Peter. Philip findeth Nathaniel, and saith unto him, We have found Him, of whom Moses in the law, and the prophets, wrote, Jesus of Nazareth, the Son of Joseph. And Nathaniel said unto him, Can any good thing come out of Nazareth? Philip saith unto him, Come and see. Jesus saw Nathaniel coming to Him, and saith of him, Behold, an Israelite indeed, in whom is no guile! Nathaniel saith unto Him, Whence knowest Thou me? Jesus answered and said unto him, Before Philip called them, when thou wast under the fig tree, I saw thee. Nathaniel answered Him, Rabbi, Thou are the Son of God; Thou art King of Israel."

At least one of those two disciples went to bring another to Jesus. Andrew brought his brother, Simon. Jesus had inaugurated his great plan of world-wide expansion, and had adopted the method which is essential today. He works through his disciples and they go in person to persons, one at a time. Andrew showed the right spirit—wanted to share with others and went to the nearest one. He and his brother had been talking of the Messiah, and were expecting Him, and now he was overjoyed to hasten with the news that the Messiah had broken the silence of the centuries, and was actually among them. That was the first thing Andrew did, and there was an exuberant joy in doing it that we find today in similar work. The way Jesus received Simon confirmed Andrew's faith, and Simon's as well. In that reception they found reassuring cordiality, penetrating and unerring insight into character, as Jesus discovered the element of rock in the impetuous temper of Simon, a phophetic knowledge of the future and a fine confidence in these men. Cephas and Peter are the same name, "Rock," one Hebrew, the other Greek, and that came to be his permanent name, especially the Greek form of it—Peter.

The other one, John, must have gone to get his brother, James. These two pairs of brothers are the first four in all the lists of the twelve apostles.

Next Jesus himself adds what seems to be the fifth disciple. He was from Bethsaida, the same town as the others, was probably a disciple of John's, and brought to Christ's attention by these disciples, and was personally bidden by Jesus, "Follow me."

Philip had in his heart the true disciple's desire to share what he had found, but he had some difficulty with Nathaniel. He went to his friend with an argument that took him into details, instead of with the testimony of an eyewitness alone. He brought up a difficulty, that was only imaginary, yet had its weight. Nathaniel was probably a blunt, honest man, a little disposed to listen to hearsay, and he brought up a current adage that no good thing could come out of Nazareth, such was the bad reputation of that wicked little Galilean city.

Also Nathanael did not see how the Messiah could come from Nazareth because Jerusalem was the cultured and religious center and was the suitable place from which the Messiah should come, because Nazareth was insignificant as a place; because it was a part of Galilee and Nathanael lived in Galilee and did not have too high a regard for it; because he might have had some prejudice against a neighboring city.

Philip pursued the right method with his doubts and prejudices. "Come and see." And when he came to Jesus Nathanael found more than he ever imagined—a cordial friend, instead of a forbidding ruler; a deep mind reader who say and commended the artless guileless man and a knowledge of him that convinced him that this man Jesus was surely the Messiah. Jesus always was willing to submit to every reasonable test and he is able to completely satisfy every guileless person. This confession describes the Messiah as the Jews thought of him and identified Jesus as that Messiah.

III.

"They Are Further Instructed." (Verses 50-51.)

Jesus answered and said unto him, Because I said unto thee, I saw thee underneath the fig tree, believest thou? Thou shalt see greater things than these.

And he saith unto him, Verily, verily, I say unto you, Ye shall see the heaven opened, and the angels of God ascending and descending upon the Son of Man."

Directly to Nathanael and indirectly to all Jesus gives instruction of a vital kind. That was to the effect that Jesus would do more wonderful things than seeing into him as he was sitting at home under his fig tree.

In this, Christ feeds His faith, awakens still more faith and excites expectation. He instructs His mind with the statement that He is the medium of communication between earth and heaven—the reality of which the ladder in Jacob's dream was but a symbol. Nathanael called him Son of God and Jesus did not resent the title, but adds the other Son of Man. He is both.

WHAT THE MASTERS SAY.

"The question put by Jesus to the following disciples, 'What seek ye?' was the first breath of the winnowing fan which the Baptist had warned them the Messiah would use. It was not the gruff interrogation of one who would not have his retirement invaded, nor his own thoughts interrupted, but a kindly invitation to open their minds to him. It was meant to help them to understand their own purposes, and to ascertain what they expected in following Jesus. 'What seek ye?' Have you any object deeper than mere curiosity? For Christ desires to be followed intelligently, or not at all. At all times he used the winnowing fan to blow away the chaff of the great crowds that followed him, and leave the few immovably resolute souls."—[Dods.

The finding of one was not the finding of the other. For John and Andrew there was the talk with Jesus through the hours of that never-to-be-forgotten evening; for Simon, the heart-searching word, convincing him he was known and his future read off; for Philip, a peremptory command, and for Nathanael, a gracious courtesy disarming him of prejudice, assuring him of a perfect sympathy in the breast of the Lord. Thus there are those who seek Christ who are brought by others to Christ, those whom Christ seeks for himself, those who come without doubts and those who come with doubts.—[Reith.

How easily and artlessly does the mystic bride, as represented by these five disciples become acquainted with her heavenly Bridegroom! The account of their meeting is idyllic in its simplicity, and would only be spoiled by a commentary. There is no need of formal introduction; they all introduce each other. Even John and Andrew were not formally introduced to Jesus by the Baptist; they further introduced themselves. . . . What they found in their new friend indicates what they wanted to find. They evidently belonged to the select band who waited for the consolation of Israel, and anxiously looked for Him who should fulfill God's promises and realise the hope of all devout souls.—[Bruce.

POINTS TO IMPRESS.

(1.) That we have now testimony about Jesus to act unerringly.

(2.) That when we point another to Jesus we do a work that lasts.

(3.) That Jesus more than meets us half way.

(4.) That he always instructs and stimulates us.

(5.) That natural ties are channels for good influences.

(6.) That testimony is better than argument.

(7.) That all doubts are settled when we "come and see."

CHURCH SERVICES.

SUNDAY, JANUARY 19.

ST. PAUL'S PRO-CATHEDRAL CORDIALLY invites residents, transients and sojourners to attend its services. It is a place where men meet as men; not as rich men nor poor men. Its services are as follows: 7:30 a.m., 9 a.m., 11 a.m., 7:30 p.m.; Sunday-school, 2:30 a.m.; Young People's meeting, 6:45 p.m. Sermon in the morning by the curate, subject, "The Barren Fig Tree." In the evening the Rev. J. McConnell will preach. This church, 533 S. Olive st., can be reached by any street car line. All are welcome. 19

SECOND CHURCH OF CHRIST, SCIENTIST—Simpson Auditorium, 754 S. Hope st. Services Sunday, 11 a.m. and 8 p.m.; sermon from the Christian Science Quarterly. Subject, "Life." Children's Sunday-school, 9:30 a.m. Wednesday evening meeting at 8 o'clock. Reading-rooms, 516-511 Herman W. Hellman Bldg., Spring and Fourth sts., open daily, Sundays excepted, from 9 a.m. to 5 p.m. 19

FIRST PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, Figueroa and 20th sts. Preaching by the pastor, Rev. Frank De Witt Talmage, D.D., at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.; subjects, morning, "Binding Pledges;" evening, "Woman's Influence Upon the Past and Future." Dr. Talmage will continue to fill the pulpit for five weeks longer every Sunday, morning and evening, up to and including Sunday, February 23. 19

FIRST PENTECOSTAL CHURCH OF THE Nazarene, cor. Wall and Sixth sts. Preaching at 11 a.m. by Dr. F. F. Bresee. Holiness mass meeting at 3 p.m. Preaching at 7:30 p.m. by Rev. J. G. Rogers. 19

REV. D. F. HOWE, D.D., PASTOR OF Westlake M. E. Church, will preach Sunday morning at 11 o'clock; evening at 7:45. The public is cordially invited to these services.

CENTRAL BAPTIST CHURCH, ALVARADO and Pico st. Arthur S. Phelps, minister. Morning subject, "To the Philippines;" evening topic, "Weighing Anchor." Baptism. 19

THE REFORMED PRESBYTERIAN AND Convenanter Church, corner E. 23rd and Stanford sts. Services 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. F. J. McDonald, pastor.

SECOND UNITED PRESBYTERIAN Church, Washington and Santee sts. Rev. Henry W. Crabbe, pastor. Services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. 19

CENTRAL PRESBYTERIAN CHURCH, 229 S. Hill st. Rev. A. B. Prichard, pastor, preaches at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. 19

NOT KILLED BY ROBBERS.

Coroner's Jury Decides That Death of John Lockhart Was Due to His Falling Down a Stairway.

A Coroner's jury at the Pierce morgue yesterday decided that John Lockhart came to his death from injuries received in falling down the steps of a house on Hewitt street.

Lockhart was a single man and worked for a tent company in Pasadena. His brother in Philadelphia was notified yesterday of the accident, and funeral arrangements are being made, subject to information from the East.

The Lockhart case puzzled the police for two days before they secured witnesses to the accident. Lockhart was found by Patrolman Aiken on the sidewalk on Hewitt street. He was suffering from a compound fracture of the skull.

He was hurried to the Receiving Hospital, and died there, following an operation performed by the surgeons in the hope of relieving the pressure on the injured man's brain. The only means of identification was the name "John Lockhart," found on a card in one of his pockets. Two witnesses were found who testified that Lockhart had been drinking, and stumbled and fell down the steps of a house on Hewitt street, when he attempted to force an entrance to the house.

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First Unitarian Church
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DR. BURT ESTES HOWARD, Minister. Sunday services, 11 a.m. Subject, "Jesus and the Law." Sunday-school, 9:45 a.m. Bible class, led by Mrs. R. H. Boynton. Fine music. Welcome.

First Baptist Church
FLOWER STREET, BETWEEN 7th and 8th. REV. J. Q. A. HENRY, D.D., Pastor. Morning service 11 o'clock; topic, "How to Study the Bible for Spiritual Profit." Evening 7:30, 10-minute preludo to sermon on "Drinking among women in Great Britain and America." Sermon, third in series on "Fools of the Bible;" topic, "Esau, the Sensual Fool." Sunday-school senior, Young Women's and Young Men's Bible classes, 9:30 a.m. Young People's meeting, 6:15 p.m. All seats free. Everybody welcome.

First United Presbyterian Church
9th and Figueroa Sts.
REV. WILL W. LOGAN, D.D., Pastor. Preaching at 11:00 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. Morning topic, "Coincidences." Evening subject, "Religious Loafers." All seats free, strangers welcome.

Magnolia Avenue Christian Church
W. 25th St. and Magnolia Ave.
JESSE P. McKNIGHT, Pastor. Sunday-school, 9:30 a.m.; Christian Endeavor, 6:15 p.m.; church services, 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m., morning subject, "Lessons from the Thirty Years' Silence;" evening subject, "Lot; or, The Danger of Worldliness." A cordial welcome for all.

First Humanity's Church
Symphony Hall, 232 S. Hill.
DR. FREDERIC BELS, pastor, will deliver his intensely interesting lecture Sunday night, January 19, at 8 o'clock, on "Sleep, Dreams, and Visions Explained." All investigators invited. The doctor will also sing Frederic H. Cowen's great song, "The Children's Home." Silver offering at the door upon entering. Doors open at 7:30.

Ev. Lutherisch Dreieinigkeit Kirche
Ecke S. Flower and 8th Sts.
Gottesdienste: Morgens, 10:30; abends, 7:30. ARTH E. MITCHELL, Pastor.

First Congregational Church
Hope Street, near Ninth.
Morning service, 11 o'clock. Dr. Wm. Horace Day, pastor, will preach on "Fellowship in Worship." Evening service, 7:30 o'clock. Dr. Day will continue his evening sermons on "John and His Book." Questions at the close.

The Independent Church of Christ
18th and Figueroa Sts.
REV. J. S. THOMSON, Pastor.
Sunday service, 11 a.m., subject of sermon, "Christ as the Divine Orator of the World." Solo, "O for the Wings of a Dove." Miss Genevra Johnstone Bishop. Solo, "Heaven Is My Home," Mrs. George Y. Drake. All are cordially invited, especially strangers.

First Lutbern Church
S. E. Cor. 8th and Flower Sts.
REV. HERBERT J. WEAVER, Pastor.
Sunday-school, 9:30 a.m. Worship at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m.

Immanuel Presbyterian Church
Corner Tenth and Figueroa Sts.
REV. HUGH K. WALKER, D.D., the pastor, will preach tomorrow at 11 a.m. and at 7:30 p.m. Subjects: Morning, "The Treasure in Earthen Vessels;" evening, "His Taking the Tread of Things." Bonsall Class at 9:30; all young men between the ages of 17 and 25 are invited to join. Y.P.S.C.E. meets at 6:45.

First Christian Church
HOPE AND ELEVENTH STS.
REV. A. C. SMITHERS, Pastor. Sunday-school, 9:30 a.m., with women and girls' rally day, with extra music and other special features; 11 a.m., sermon by the pastor; 6:45 p.m., Christian Endeavor; 7:30 p.m., stereopticon lecture on a visit to Athens and Mars Hill, by the pastor. Male quartette. Seats free. All invited.

Trinity M. E. Church South
N.W. Cor. Ninth and Grand Ave.
REV. J. J. PRITCHETT, Pastor.
Services at 11 a.m. and 7:30 p.m. A cordial welcome to all.

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Los Angeles County—Its Cities and Towns.

NEWS REPORTS FROM CORRESPONDENTS OF THE TIMES.

SQUELCHED.

TURN SHUT-OFF FOR SPIELER.

NO MORE LICENSE FOR HIM ON PASADENA STREET. .

Death of Young Woman, Wife of One of the Members of Los Angeles Business House—Plans for High School Class Meet to Be Held in Near Future.

Office of The Times, No. 24 S. Raymond Ave.

PASADENA, Jan. 18.—License to speak on the streets of this city has been revoked for L. Klamroth, who stood up on the street at Colorado and Fair Oaks, and in cowardly and atrocious language abused all the institutions of his country. He proclaimed that the "graduates of Annapolis and West Point are a set of murderers;" also that the "Maine carried down in her hold the torpedo that blew her up." Police Sergt. George Longley, a sailor on the Olympia when she sailed into Manila Harbor, told him that if a crowd of the men on Bob Evans's fleet were present there would not be enough of him to bury.

This Klamroth has no connection, by affinity or blood with Police Judge H. H. Klamroth.

Mayor Earley says that in his refusal of a license to this man he will be guided by the reports of the police, and will give little credence or value to the claim that Klamroth makes on the ground that the testimony against him is hearsay.

YOUNG WIFE PASSES AWAY.

One of the saddest deaths of this community is that of Mrs. Louise Fredericks, wife of Charles Edwin Fredericks of the Mackie Fredericks company of Los Angeles, who passed away yesterday morning. This estimable lady was 28 years old. She leaves a family of three young children. One is a boy and the other two girls. The death occurred at the family residence, No. 1201 Summit street. The funeral will be at St. Andrews Church in this city. The burial in New Calvary Cemetery in Los Angeles will be private.

HIGH-SCHOOL DEBATE.

One week from today the local High School will hold its class meet, and interest centers in the debate for the oratorical trophy, a fine silver cup. This debate is one of the annual features of the school. The debate will be between members of the several classes of the High School. The members of the school are in earnest training for the other events. Charles Parsons, the ex-champion sprinter, is coaching the track team. Manager John La Spada of the track team hopes to make the class meet a source of revenue, and desires to charge a small admittance to the debate. The tract team is scheduled to go to the Stanford Campus for the spring games, and the boys ask their friends to be liberal in purchase of tickets for the class meet next Saturday.

LOS ANGELES SENDS CACTUS.

Park Superintendent M. W. Morley of Los Angeles has given to this city more than fifty varieties of cactus to be used as a nucleus for a bed of the prickly vegetation of the desert. These specimens will be planted in Central Park and the superintendent hopes soon to rival the collection now blooming in White Park, Riverside, which ranks in its specialty with Shaw's Garden in St. Louis.

DEBUTANTE RECEPTION.

The home of Dr. and Mrs. Henry B. Stehman on South Grand avenue was the scene yesterday afternoon of a brilliant reception which was given by Mrs. Stehman to introduce her daughter, Miss Genevieve Stehman, into society. The floral decorations were elaborate and were conspicuous on the wide-open veranda, where great baskets of ferns and potted palms were arranged effectively. In the drawing-room, where Mrs. Stehman received, assisted by Mrs. Henry Miller of Redding, pink roses and aurelia were used. The den was decorated with red carnations and ivy while over the doors and windows laurestina were massed. The dining-room was particularly beautiful with decorations of Shasta daisies and Deve d'Or roses. Upon the table narcissus and asparagus plumosus carried out the color scheme, which was emphasized by accessories in pale yellow everywhere. Mrs. Stehman wore a handsome imported costume of blue crepe de chine. Mrs. Miller wore a white lace robe over white silk, and the young debutante was gowned in white messaline over white silk. Mmes. Geo. Stimson, W. L. Green, Henry Kirk Macomber, Robert J. Burdette, James Swan and Clinton P. Moreshouse relieved one another presiding over the tea table during the reception hours, and they were assisted by Misses Gladys Gardner, Kate Macomber, Mabel Love and Madeline Barnes. At the punch table Misses Constance McClintock, Louise Austin and Muriel Laing presided, and other unbonneted women were Mmes. Norman Bridge, Malcom J. McLeod, Frederick Brown, Charles Gardner, Levi Fiske, Alexander Metcalf, George G. Guyer, Holloway I. Stuart and Miss Trotter. A stringed orchestra furnished music throughout the afternoon. Three hundred guests were present.

BRIDGE LUNCHEON.

Mrs. John W. Hugus gave a prettily-appointed bridge luncheon yesterday, where covers were laid for Mmes. Tracy Drake, in whose honor it was given, John B. Miller, Charles D. Callery, Charles Crane Perkins, William C. Burns, William Schipps, Henry T. Fuller, Frank Miller, Edward R. Kellam, Harrison J. Drummond and H. Page Wardan. Pink Chetney roses and maidenhair ferns were used in decoration, and a prize was awarded each table at bridge.

Artists' materials at Wadsworth's.

Tutoring. Miss Lauretta Barnaby, 190 Center st.

See Phelps for fine wall paper.

THEY DRAW SETTLERS.

Interesting Contest in Glendale in Which Pulling Families Is the Game.

GLENDALE, Jan. 17.—The pulling of families to this community has developed into a warm contest. Among the population boomers in this community is George L. Ward, who came here two years ago. He has fifteen families, consisting of fifty-eighth persons, now to his credit, although one family, that of M. B. Varney, has slipped away to reside in Los Angeles. The latest arrivals are the family of Archie Kelly of Lynn, Mass., who arrived yesterday. Mrs. Kelly is the last sister of Mrs. Ward coming from the frost-bound East. Others are the families of Edwin Turner, Frank Farrand, Henry Ward, Josh Andrews, Louis Andrews, Albert Varney, Melba Varney, Richard Addison, Aleck Cross, Norman Varney, John Addison, Frank Smith. Twelve of the families come from Montreal and Windsor Mills, Quebec, two from Lynn, Mass., and one from Arizona. These people, comprising a colony of their own, have, even to the late arrivals, bought property upon which they already own homes. In some instances, relatives already residing here have purchased lots for people coming, who built very soon after arrival.

Dr. A. L. Bryant now claims ten families to his credit, the most recent addition to the group being the family of C. E. Barnard, who arrived on the 9th inst., and there are more to come. Those already here comprise thirty-four persons, the families being those of T. J. Ferguson, J. G. Ferguson, H. Johnston, F. U. Emery, H. P. Smith, R. D. Goss, Charles Birket, J. S. Smith, C. E. Barnard and A. L. Bryant. The majority of families came here from Iowa and almost without exception are property holders.

STREET BETTERMENT.

Cedar street, from Third to Fifth, is to be oiled and graded immediately. The curbing and sidewalk will be done by private contract, the work having been awarded to E. D. Reynolds. The City Engineer has been instructed to report on the cost of grading and oiling which probably will be 50 cents per front foot. The balance of Cedar street is already finished and when this is done there will be no finer street in Glendale, as the view is excellent, and some of the best residences in Glendale are here located.

The City Superintendent will purchase a number of street signs on terms set forth in a communication received by the Trustees from the Road Commissioner of Los Angeles county in reference to the city limits signs. This, it is expected, will be a great help to automobilists and others visiting the city.

Large crowds at "Hotel del Coronado."

VISITS THE HARBOR.

Legislative Committee Is Shown About San Pedro and Is Entertained There.

SAN PEDRO, Jan. 17.—Members of the Legislative Committee on Harbors, composed of Senator L. A. Wright of San Diego, chairman; Assemblyman Walter R. Leeds of Los Angeles, secretary; Senators Thomas J. Kennedy, Edward I. Wolfe and Assemblyman Louis Strohl of San Francisco and Assemblyman P. O. Johnson of San Diego, arrived here this morning to make an official inspection of this harbor.

Upon their arrival the visitors were taken in charge by Senator W. H. Savage, San Storer, president of the local Chamber of Commerce; J. W. Walton, president of the Board of City Trustees, and others. Launches were provided and the committee were shown the extensive work already completed, and now under way in both the inner and outer harbors, under the supervision of both the government and large corporations.

The members of the committee were guests at luncheon at the home of Senator William H. Savage at First and Orizaba streets. In the afternoon a public hearing was held, at which matters pertaining to the State's interests at this port were discussed. The committee was afforded all the opportunity possible for the collection of data for presentation to the Legislature relative to the port of San Pedro.

At the hearing various phases of harbor conditions were discussed by Senators Wolfe, Savage, Bulla, Assemblyman Leeds and others.

Tomorrow the committee will visit the harbor at Newport.

CANVAS WAR IS ON.

Venice and Abbot Kinney Company Take Tent City Question Into the Law Courts.

VENICE, Jan. 17.—The courts at last have been resorted to in an effort to regulate the Tent City. Ten complaints were sworn to today, charging the Abbot Kinney Company with violation of the new city ordinance, making it a misdemeanor to erect or maintain within the city limits of Ocean Park a tent or cloth house. Each complaint represents one tent, and the citations are made returnable on January 28. It is the purpose of the City Trustees to issue another batch of complaints tomorrow or Monday, and then from day to day until a hundred or more adorn the docket. There are about 150 tents of the Kinney company that do not come within the specifications of permissible houses, and there may be a suit for each tent.

DOGE WILL RESIST.

The defendant corporation has signified its intention of resisting the enforcement of the ordinance. The measure is claimed to be unjust, wrongful and unconstitutional. The higher courts probably will be appealed to.

VENICE NEWS NOTES.

Ed Otto of Los Angeles has purchased lots on Mildred and Dorothy avenue, and will build a home for his family. They are recent arrivals in California from Fort Worth, Tex.

Joseph T. Dwyer is a seashore visitor from New York, and will remain for some time.

Mrs. E. B. Youngblood has come to the strand from Los Angeles and will make her home on Virginia avenue.

ENTERTAIN FOR BOARD.

Public Attraction Being Arranged by Hollywood Commercial Body for Near Future.

HOLLYWOOD, Jan. 17.—A public entertainment has been arranged by the Hollywood Board of Trade for Tuesday evening on the occasion of the annual election of the board of directors. The names proposed by the Nominating Committee are: C. J. Wade, J. E. Williams, P. J. Beveridge, E. C. Hampton, M. C. Mason, John Law, Edward Winterer, G. C. Van Nest, A. Z. Taft, J. J. Gibson and A. E. Merrill.

The Hollywood Club has elected the following new officers: President, J. J. Gibson; vice-presidents, Philo J. Beveridge and E. W. Elliott; treasurer, Frank Hance, and secretary, Frank Hoover.

STORM DRIVES FISH BACK

Big Catches Being Made Again from Launches in Waters Off Catalina Island.

AVALON, Jan. 17.—Local fishermen are "celebrating" over the fact that the recent storm of three days ago did much to drive back several schools of fish that had strayed away for some time. Four thousand pounds is the aggregate record of the catch for three pleasure launches for two days. Capt. C. L. Casey in the launch Magic Isle, with G. H. Roose and party, returned today from Long Point with a catch consisting of 1200 pounds of yellowtail, skipjack and albicore.

Among the recent arrivals at the Grand View are: W. E. Miller of Mason City, Iowa; N. J. Kerr of Ottawa, Canada; Charles A. Larson of Kansas City, Mo.; E. B. Olson of Williston, N. D.; L. Manners and family of Milford, Va.; Dr. C. H. Lewis of Chicago, Dr. M. W. Wilson of Newport Beach.

CARRIES KEYS.

STILL STICKS TO CHIEF IDEA.

OLD CITY MARSHAL PERSISTENT IN LONG BEACH.

His Authority, However, Is not Recognized by the Police Commission or by the Force—Hollywood Wins in High School Debating Contest.

LONG BEACH, Jan. 17.—Ex-City Marshal Young still insists that he is Chief of Police, because he has a bunch of keys fitting drawers and lockers in which are the records and papers of the police department. His authority, however, extends no farther, as orders given by him to the men this morning were not obeyed, and the instructions of Chief Williams are being carried out unhesitatingly. The ex-Marshal paid a brief visit to headquarters today, and then left to consult his attorney. At noon the Police Commissioners issued an order to the effect that all employés of the department are subject to the orders of Thomas W. Williams, or some one designated by him, and that any violation subjects the offender to fine, suspension or removal. It is understood that there is no intention to change the present force, whose police records are good, the commission announcing its intention to work solely for the good of the city, and to insist only on perfect discipline and obedience to orders.

NOT DISSOLVING.

All fear that the Long Beach Chamber of Commerce was in danger of dissolution was dispelled last night, when, at a big rally of the membership, it was decided to inaugurate new plans calculated to infuse new life into the organization and place it on a paying basis. The dues are to be reduced to $5 a year, in advance or $6 if paid quarterly; the secretaryship is to be merged with that of the Merchants' and Manufacturers' Association, and committee will be appointed to secure permanent quarters, new members and a benefit entertainment to place the organization on its feet. It is also proposed to employ a good-looking stenographer, who shall also collect dues on the theory that no man will dodge payment of a bill presented by a demure maid.

As a preliminary to the rejuvenating of the association, a new set of officers were elected thus: President, P. E. Hatch; first vice-president, W. E. Hinshaw; second vice-president, C. J. Curtis; secretary, J. A. Miller; treasurer, Frank McCutchen; directors, Dr. L. A. Perce, Col. W. J. Horne. Letters of thanks were ordered sent to all the inland commercial bodies who had indorsed the resolutions presented to the harbor commission at the San Pedro hearing last Tuesday.

HOLLYWOOD WINS.

Tonight's debate, held in this city, between Hollywood and Long Beach High Schools, was won by the former by a score of 54 2-5 to 48 1-3. The question was, "Resolved, that an income tax is a desirable part of the scheme for taxation." Representing Hollywood, which had the affirmative, were Miss Ramona Harrod and Warren Ferguson. For Long Beach the speakers were Eugene Tincher and Frank Robinson.

LONG BEACH BRIEFS.

C. E. Parish, president of the Southern California Wisconsin Society, and Secretary G. G. Johnson, meet the general committee in this city, today and arranged for the annual Badger picnic, which for nine years has been held in Long Beach on Lincoln's birthday, February 12. The principal address will be by Joseph D. Radford, vice-president of the German-American National Bank of Los Angeles. Dinner will be served on the lower floor of the Auditorium at noon. Prizes will be offered to the most popular man, the handsomest woman and the speaker who pleases the audience the most.

Announcement was made today at the Auditorium concert that the last concert by the Vessella band will be given Sunday evening, the members deciding at last that there is no hope for municipal aid. Director Vessella will return either to Atlantic City or Baltimore. The Italian band was started two years ago by Messrs. Donatelli and Gattoni, but dissensions have existed almost from the first.

The first dinner in Hotel Virginia was served today, those present being Manager Linnard and forty guests of Hotel Maryland. The dinner was a basket affair, only the coffee being prepared in the engine room and the noise of busy workmen in other parts of the big hostelry was the unusual accompaniment. The dinner was served in the new dining-room, on the snowiest of new napkins. From almost any point in the room a view of beach and Ocean is obtainable. This afternoon Manager Linnard and his guests visited the bath-house and other points of interest.

The work of experting the city's books is proceeding slowly, and is so nearly completed that City Treasurer Barndollar today began to pay warrants. Some funds are overdrawn, and moneys will have to be transferred from other accounts. The Auditor says the only discrepancies are clerical errors, and a balance will undoubtedly be reached.

The City Council has authorized the Inspection Committee and Board of Public Works to secure an expert on concrete and pier building to make a thorough examination of the supports of the wharf. There is no immediate danger of dissolution but the Council desires to know the exact condition of the underpinning and what repairs, if any, are necessary.

John Kipling and Edward Juvell were arrested today while attempting to sell some shell jewelry, identified as belonging to a salesman of a local curio shop, who lost a box of trinkets on a Pacific Electric car Wednesday. The prisoners claimed to have found the box alongside the track on American avenue and told Chief Williams where the rest of the stuff was cached on the beach. The men were charged with vagrancy, but their trial was set for January 24, and they were released in the hope they will leave town.

The Central Meat Market on West Second street, was entered last night by men of a rear window and $7 in change was stolen. The money was in a coin sack hidden away in the ice box. Nothing else was disturbed. A previous attempt to enter the store was made two weeks ago.

The Board of Public Works met this morning and made the following appointments: City Engineer, E. P. Dewey; wharfinger, Charles Beattge; plumbing inspector, Charles P. Murphy; superintendents of Pacific and Bixby parks and West Long Beach, J. R. Buchanan, L. H. Barber and J. A. Samples; janitor City Hall, Adam Clague.

A car on the Redondo-avenue line this afternoon wrecked a carriage at Second and Pine, belonging to F. H. Carpenter of Gardena. Mr. and Mrs. Carpenter who were in the rig, escaped injury.

The patriotic societies of the city have secured the auditorium for February 12, and will observe Lincoln Day with appropriate ceremonies. An effort is being made to secure Rev. Dr. Robert J. Burdette for the principal address.

Hoover & Smith, whose hardware store was burglarized two weeks ago, have recovered a portion of the stolen knives. They were found in a Los Angeles pawnshop, where they had been sold for $5 a dozen. The police think the thief is Sam Webb, now held in Pasadena on a burglary charge.

Department Commander W. G. Waters of the G.A.R. and Adjt.-Gen. John H. Roberts of San Francisco, will visit Long Beach Saturday, and a reception will be tendered them by the local post and the other patriotic societies of the city.

A. B. Caldwell, in haste to complete his work last night, fell from the top of a brick kiln, striking a wagon, into which he was throwing bricks, breaking an arm and several ribs.

John S. Crew died today at his home on Linden avenue, after a short illness. He was a native of Ohio and 56 years of age. He had been a resident of Long Beach two years.

Capt. Mason of the Camiguin today brought in a heavy rock formation, found five miles out, to which was attached a piece of kelp which extended 300 feet below the surface of the ocean.

Dr. L. A. Perce today received notice of his appointment as assistant surgeon of the Salt Lake Railroad.

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MORE SEA FENCE.

WILL LENGTHEN THE BULKHEAD

MEASURES FOR PROTECTION AT OCEAN PARK.

Steps to Prevent Damage Along the Ocean Front from the Encroachment of the High Tides. Project for Organizing a Company of the Southern California Rifles.

OCEAN PARK, Jan. 17.—As a solution for the problem of saving the ocean-frontage property of Short Line beach from injury through the encroachment of the tides, it was practically decided today to build an extension of the present bulkhead. This will run for six blocks in a southerly direction from the south end of the present structure.

As a further means of protection three jetties are to be constructed for a distance of about 250 feet into the ocean. These will be about 600 feet apart, and will be located south of the bulkhead. This conclusion was reached and the necessary legal steps will be taken to rush the work. This matter will receive the attention of the City Trustees at their meeting next Monday night.

FOR RIFLE COMPANY.

Locally, considerable interest is being taken in the project of organizing a company of the Southern California Rifles, to be stationed along Santa Monica Bay. Lieut. Henry E. Miller is of the opinion that at Ocean Park, Venice and Santa Monica he will experience no difficulty in enlisting a sufficient number of crack shots to bring the company up to the full quota of membership. With a rifle range already built at Venice, and available for target practice, it is expected the company meetings will be interesting, and will develop a friendly rivalry that will hold the organization together for practical work in time of the country's need.

OCEAN PARK POINTS.

Well-attended revival meetings are in progress at the Methodist and Nazarene churches. Recent developments along the shore have made appropriate such texts as "Be sure your sins will find you out," and a considerable portion of the exhortations have been along these lines.

Nat Goodwin is having the residence that occupied the lot next to his ocean front mansion moved, and is planning for extensive improvements. It has been stated several times by the actor that he would convert his seaside home into a tourist hotel, and make such additions and changes as would make the place a winner with the public; but whether his present plans are for the establishment of a hostelry is not known.

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POMONA.

Royal Arch Mason Receive a Visit from Grand High Priest of the Order.

POMONA, Jan. 17.—Pomona Chapter Royal Arch Masons, received an official visitation last evening from C. J. Willetts of Pasadena, Grand High Priest of California, who installed the recently elected officers of the chapter, assisted by W. A. Gaynor, Deputy Lecturer, as Marshal. After the installation, a school of instruction was held and this was followed by an enjoyable banquet. A number of companions were present from Azusa and Covina, and it was well past midnight before the social session adjourned.

The members of the Board of Education are spending considerable time over the specifications for the new grade school building to be erected on San Antonio and Kingsley avenues, as it is aimed to make the structure a model of convenience. Bids will soon be advertised for and the contractor whose figures secure the construction work, will be required to give a bond for the total amount of his bid. It is expected that work will be commenced on the new building some time next month, and that construction will be pushed vigorously.

W. J. Wilkinson, who has large land interests at Hanley Sask, is here visiting his parents, J. W. Wilkinson and wife.

Rev. Josiah Sibley of Long Beach is conducting a series of meetings at the Presbyterian Church here.

Mrs. Thomas Campbell, who formerly lived in Pomona, has been here from Los Angeles for a few days.

J. F. Cumberland was here from Highland Park today, looking after his orange grove interests.

Harold C. Dewey is temporarily out of the real estate business, and is engaged in caring for eighty acres, which he has secured near Wineville, and will plant to grapes.

Dr. Howard A. Hopkins and family, recently of Baltimore, have received a carload of household goods from the East, and are moving into the Williamson house on North Garey avenue.

George Nicholson, who was arrested Tuesday in San Bernardino, charged with stealing tools from D. L. Malone of Lordsburg, on information furnished by Constable Slanker, was sentenced by Justice Barnes here today to serve six months in the County Jail.

"Hotel del Coronado" leads all.

SIERRA MADRE.

SIERRA MADRE, Jan. 17.—At a meeting of the stockholders of the First National Bank of Sierra Madre the following directors were elected: H. G. Flint, Charles L. Keating, L. C. Torence, N. H. Horner, C. H. Baker, A. D. Hawks and F. N. Hawks.

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NEW TONG WAR IS ON.

San Francisco Chinaman Shoots Two Celestials and One of Them Will Die.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

SAN FRANCISCO, Jan. 17.—The tong war among the Chinese, evidences of a renewal of which have appeared in Sacramento and Oakland during the past few days, has broken out in San Francisco, and tonight Luey Yen, said to be a member of the Hop Sing Tong, shot Lung Chow, foreman in the London broom factory, in Jones's Alley, and Jung Dang, an employé of the same establishment.

Lung Chow was shot through the neck and through the thigh, and probably will die. Jung Dang was shot in the wrist, and is not seriously injured. Jung Dang belongs to the See Yups, and was the man that Luey Yen was after.

He shot Lung Chow by mistake. He had appeared at the same place until last night. Then he disappeared, and tonight came with a companion, whose identity is unknown, and immediately upon entering the place fired the three shots at Jung Dang, two of which hit Lung Chow. There had been no trouble between the men before, and it is evident the trouble is between the rival tongs.

After firing the three shots the Chinaman ran down the stairs and disappeared, leaving the smoking revolver in the hallway. The police know the man who did the shooting, but have not located him.

WOULD ALTER TAJO BUILDING.

Owners of the Tajo building have consented to make extensive alterations for the accommodation of the Federal officials. It is probable that the government will continue to occupy the fourth floor of the building until the completion of the Federal building at North Spring, Main and Temple streets.

UNDELIVERED TELEGRAMS.

There are undelivered telegrams at the office of the Postal Telegraph Company for W. W. Anderson, Mrs. L. M. Whitney, George O. Perry, G. R. Hall, J. J. Crafton, L. P. Frank and R. L. Cheney.

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ANAHEIM BRIEFS.

ANAHEIM, Jan. 17.—J. B. Neff, who owns a valuable ranch near here, and is conductor of Farmers' Institutes for Southern California, will cut back over 150 walnut trees, to be grafted to a variety resistant to the walnut blight. The trees are 14 years old, and have attained a healthy growth, but lost half of their nuts the past season, owing to blight. The grafting will be done by an experienced workman from the North, who has made a special study of this method of ridding orchards of the curse. As soon as he begins work, Mr. Neff desires walnut growers to come and inspect the operation.

As a result of the crusade of Officer Llewellyn against truants, forty children now are attending school who never were enrolled before. This increase will mean one or two additional teachers this year.

NEWPORT.

NEWPORT, Jan. 17.—Encouraging progress is reported by the Newport Bay Oil Company on well No. 4, on which work began last week. The well is located near Thurin station, on the Southern Pacific Railroad. A good grade of light oil has been struck, and prospects are better here than at any of the other wells.

BALBOA.

BALBOA, Jan. 17.—The Marsh Boat Company has just completed a twenty-two-foot launch, which it expects to make the fastest power boat on the bay. Since December 1 four new-style rowboats have been turned out.

KNOCK ON RAIL.

TRAINS HIT AND INJURE THREE.

ACCIDENT OCCURS ON SANTA FE IN RIVERSIDE.

Collision Between Switch Train and Southbound Local Causes Engineer, Fireman and a Mexican to Be Hurt. Elsinore Man Severely Burned by a Mishap With Gasoline.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

RIVERSIDE, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Three men were injured and an engine and flat car were wrecked in the Santa Fé yards at Riverside this afternoon, as the result of a collision between a switch train and the south-bound Santa Fé passenger train No. 53, from San Bernardino to San Diego.

The injured men are F. W. Park, engineer, and W. Whittaker, fireman on the passenger train, and a Mexican named Tomaas Hernandes. The accident was due to miscalculation on the part of the engineer of the work train. In front of the switch engine on the siding was a pool of burning oil, and to avoid this the engine backed around a sharp curve.

The engineer did not see the oncoming passenger train, and allowed one corner of his last flat car to project a few inches over the main track. After applying the air brakes, Engineer Parks leaped from his engine, as did Whittaker, the fireman. Parks sprained his shoulder in jumping, and also received some bad cuts and bruises. Whittaker was scratched, but otherwise uninjured. Hernandes suffered the severing of a large artery in his right arm.

The engine and smoker of the passenger train were damaged, and the flat car was torn to splinters by the impact.

TERRIBLY BURNED.

With his face burned to a blister, all of his hair burned off, and his left arm severely scorched, C. O. Havens, aged 25, was brought into the County Hospital this afternoon from Elsinore. His injuries were the result of attempting to fill a lighted coal-oil stove with gasoline, mistaking it for kerosene. It is impossible as yet to tell whether or not he inhaled any of the flames. If not, his chances for recovery are good.

AFTER MILK DEALERS.

On the charge of violating the law prohibiting the adulteration of dairy products, warrants have been sworn out before Justice Hall by J. L. Starr of Los Angeles, assistant agent and inspector of the State Dairy Bureau, for the arrest of Dan Dedack, proprietor of the Eighth Street Café, and U. S. Kaneko, owner of the Golden State Hotel. Dedack was arrested and pleaded not guilty. He was released on his own recognizance and will be tried January 24. Kaneko was not in the city, but upon his return he will be given an opportunity to plead to the same charge.

Dedack is accused of having for sale December 19, milk that contained less than 3 per cent. of butter fat and less than 8.5 per cent. of solids. Kaneko is charged with having had for sale milk that contained only 1 per cent. of butter fat.

RIVERSIDE BRIEFS.

Five Mexican laborers out of work lost all of their savings yesterday to a confidence man who took $40 in gold from them with the promise of placing them at work at Santa Ana, picking oranges at $2.50 a day. The man has disappeared and the Mexicans are being given food and lodging at the Riverside Police Station.

S. A. White has completed negotiations for the purchase of a ten-acre orange grove at the corner of Victoria avenue and Van Buren street for $13,-000 cash. The grove was bought from the Riverside Trust Company and is planted to navels and Valencias. The present crop is estimated at 1000 boxes. The deal was closed yesterday, and at the same time Mr. White sold his residence at No. 833 Tenth street to Dr. C. C. Smith for $5000.

For high-class orange groves, W. T. Thompson, Riverside, Cal.

WILD CAT SURPRISED.

Rancher Envelops It in Blanket and Then Jumps on It—Thermal to Have Board of Trade.

THERMAL, Jan. 16.—Alfred Wiley, formerly of East Los Angeles, but now living with his father on a ranch near here, captured an immense wild cat in a novel manner. He discovered the animal in an outbuilding. Securing a heavy horse blanket, he held it in front of him, and advanced on the cat, which prepared to spring. With a sudden movement Wiley enveloped the beast in the blanket, then jumped upon it.

At a meeting of citizens Tuesday night in the Baptist Church, steps were taken toward the organization of a Board of Trade.

Enough money has been publicly subscribed to place in operation a street sprinkler.

An addition to the water supply is to be made by Sanford & Martin, who will apply to the Supervisors for a franchise as a water company.

CABBAGE GROWERS UNHAPPY.

A largely increased acreage of cabbage was planted in this district this season, and growers are discouraged over low prices. Before hearing of the Southern Pacific's reduction of freight rates to a 75-cent basis, some growers had determined to turn their stock into the cabbage fields.

William Keith has purchased a tract of twenty acres, east of the Southern Pacific station, and will plat it.

Mr. and Mrs. J. D. Tracey of Monrovia have purchased property here, and are building a temporary house opposite the Baptist Church.

Next week Prof. W. T. Swingle, pathologist in charge of the laboratory of plant life history and investigation at Washington, D. C., and Prof. Silas C. Mason, in charge of the government experimental stations of Arizona and the Coachella Valley, will be here to plan for extensions at the Indio station.

Much activity is shown in the mining region in the vicinity of Cottonwood Springs, and some promising ledges are being worked in the Eagle Mountain district.

Best of everything at Coronado.

CORONA.

CORONA, Jan. 17.—A. C. Wood and G. F. Dean have bought, through Prizer & Wood, 55x120 feet at Main and Seventh streets, of Messrs. Quimby and Rice of Santa Ana and Long Beach. The property, for which no price is given, has a fifty-eight-foot frontage on Main street and has been held at a value approximately $100 a front foot. The new owners will likely erect a business house on the land in the near future.

The Auburndale Development Company is laying 1200 feet of pressure flume on its valley property.

Dr. Robert Todd is arranging for the erection of a two-story brick building on his 22x120-foot lot on Main street.

Mrs. M. Stobbs sustained a broken arm yesterday.

J. P. Key returned from Orange last night. He reports Rev. Brann, rector of the local Episcopal Church, as slightly improved in condition and regaining his eyesight.

SANTA MONICA.

SANTA MONICA, Jan. 17.—D. C. M. Lindsey does not take kindly to the City Council's refusal to provide drinking troughs for horses. He argues that, although Riverside, Pasadena and Long Beach are "dry" towns, yet public drinking places are supplied for the dumb animal; and that Santa Monica is a "wet" town, but has expended all its energies in supplying drinking places for men.

D. L. Howard, who has a six-acre orchard on Colorado avenue and Cambridge street, thinks lemons can be grown at a good profit here. His tract has netted $4800 during the past twelve months. One acre of four-year-old walnut trees brought him $100, while from five acres on non-irrigated corn he realized $200.

CELEBRATE NEW RESERVOIR.

Plans in Anaheim for Feast in Honor of the Completion of Big Project.

ANAHEIM, Jan. 17.—The Yerba reservoir, built by the Anaheim Union Water Company, has been completed under the supervision of Engineer Kellogg, and a big barbecue will probably be given the last of this month and irrigators throughout this part of the valley will be invited to attend. Hon. Richard Melrose, Judge Eagan, Engineer Kellogg, C. C. Chapman, J. D. Schuyler and others will speak. About $300 has been subscribed toward defraying the expenses of the barbecue. The Anaheim Band will attend. The reservoir cost $50,000, and the inlet and outlet ditches and connecting pipe lines will cost $35,000.

The reservoir covers fifty-one acres and holds 50,000,000 cubic feet of water. It is to be filled largely by flood waters, which will be run into the big dam by the large upper ditches belonging to the company. The reservoir will furnish a stream of 400 inches of water during twelve hours each day for four months of the irrigating season, and does away with night irrigation in and around Anaheim. Fullerton and Placentia irrigators will still be served from the Tuffree reservoir as heretofore. The Yerba dam is 900 feet long on top and 300 feet long on the bottom, and the work was commenced about a year ago.

BOOSTS AT BANQUET.

Highland and Neighboring Towns Are Toasted at Board of Trade Feast. Shooting Case Decided.

SAN BERNARDINO, Jan. 17.—The first annual banquet of the Highland Board of Trade last night proved a great success. All the newspaper correspondents and editors throughout the valley, business men and those active in civic organizations were invited. Highland was toasted on its progress, its beauty and the excellent advantages it offers to investors. Then the success of neighboring towns was drunk. The appointments at the feast were elaborate and no detail was lacking to make the evening a memorable one.

SPICEY INCIDENT ENDED.

W. B. Clevenger, charged by E. J. Clark with assault with intent to murder, was discharged after examination before Justice Thomas this afternoon. Clevenger was in a room at the May lodging-house with Mrs. Clark, the proprietress, when Clark demanded admittance. When the latter attempted to break down the door, Clevenger opened fire with a revolver, nipping off the tip of one finger. It was shown that Mr. and Mrs. Clark had long lived apart and that Clark had gone to the house to cast a cloud on his wife's reputation that he might secure custody of their only child.

The San Bernardino County Humane Society organized today by the election of these officers: President, Dr. T. W. Orme; vice-president, Mrs. Mary B. Goodcell; secretary, C. J. Baker; treasurer, Fred C. Drew; committee on bylaws, L. R. Lothorp, J. W. Catick, Henry Goodcell; judiciary, Henry Goodcell and C. J. Baker.

Rear-Admiral Evans to stop at Coronado.

COLTON.

COLTON, Jan. 17.—Lester Dearing, son of W. L. Dearing, of North Eighth street, was the victim of an accident in which both bones of his right forearm were fractured last evening. The lad was riding horseback behind his brother, Herman, when the animal reared, throwing them both to the ground.

VENTURA.

VENTURA, Jan. 17.—R. O. Belty of Piru, who conducts a store and poolroom at that place, was almost the victim of a hold-up Tuesday evening. Two men with masks over their faces stepped into his place on the evening in question, and asked for a package of crackers. Belty reached for a shotgun instead, and the two men quickly made tracks into the night. The proprietor thinks it was their intention to hold him up if he had turned his back to wait on them. They were strangers in the place, and may have been a couple of hobos.

Olive picking is on in earnest in the eastern end of the county. The crop is a fine one. Five tons daily are being shipped from Piru alone.

As the result of "importing" two Los Angeles dog catchers, the Marshal this morning sold sixty dog tags. A dozen or so curs were taken to the pound, and considerable excitement was caused by the work of the experts. The Marshal says he is determined to clean up the dogs, which overrun the town.

Eleven carloads of beans were shipped from Saticoy the past week. A freer movement of limas is noticeable in the county, the product having been completely tied up during the financial depression.

The Ojai National Bank of Nordhoff has called in the scrip which it issued during the recent depression.

The rate of pay of rangers on the government reservation in the county has been raised by the government. The pay has been at from $65 to $75 per month, the ranger furnishing three horses for his use and being compelled to live in isolated places and away from the world. The increase in pay will be not far from $15 per month.

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ELOPEMENT IN CHINATOWN AT SANTA BARBARA.

Wah Fergot to Launder Many of His Customers' Effects Before Departing With His Almond-eyed Beauty—Locomobile Sticks in the Sand—Forest Workers' Pay Raised.

SANTA BARBARA, Jan. 17.—An elopement in Chinatown is the latest. Wah Gin, who conducted a flourishing laundry, has disappeared. So has Gin Sling, an almond-eyed lass. The couple went to Los Angeles, it is said, leaving the laundry in the hands of creditors and about $1000 in debts, besides heaps of laundered and unlaundered effects of customers.

CAUGHT IN THE SAND.

A big Locomobile, containing a Mr. and Mrs. Parks and a Miss W. Johnson, of Los Angeles, and driven by a chauffeur whose name could not be learned, got into trouble on the beach last night, and nearly was caught by the lifting tide. The driver, whirling around a curve, shot into the loose sands of the beach. There the car settled until the chain-driving gear became clogged and the car could not budge.

While the Parks and their lady guest continued on foot to the Potter Hotel the chauffeur got assistance from a local garage and after hard work the car was rescued.

RAISED IN PAY, TOO.

The entire force of forest workers, rangers, assistants, guards and others, under Col. William M. Slosson, forest supervisor of the Santa Barbara forest reserve, had been raised in title and all salaries increased materially by an order received yesterday from headquarters in Washington. Herbert G. Merrill is advanced to Deputy Supervisor and five men are promoted to the rank of forest ranger.

BENEFIT BY WILL.

By the will of the late Georgianna Louderman of St. Louis, who also is well known here, the Cottage Hospital, Unity Church, Alliance of Unity Church and St. Cecelia Club will receive bequests—$1000 for the hospital, and $200 for each of the others. The Santa Barbara heirs are Florence M. Louderman, John H. Louderman, executor of the will, and Katie Kirby.

REMARKABLE SPIN.

The highway commissioners, George S. Edwards of this city, G. L. Trott of Santa Maria and John Parker of Santa Ynez, who started yesterday on their first tour of inspection of the county roads to find a site for the proposed El Camino Real, traveled in an automobile from here along the Gaviota road that skirts the coast, and by nightfall reached Los Olivos, a remarkable spin for the first day's work.

THESPIANS IN TROUBLE.

George Buchanan, who says he is assistant treasurer of the Burbank Theater, Los Angeles, was arrested here yesterday, on complaint of his wife, who appears at a local theater as Clara Williams. The actress, who is separated from her husband, said she feared he meant to harm her.

The police looked over the young fellow and didn't find so much as a toothpick on him, decided it was something of a press agent's gag—and let him go.

Right rates at "Hotel del Coronado."

DISASTROUS DRIVE.

Escondido Woman Thrown from Carriage Has Rib Broken and Sustains Cuts About the Head.

ESCONDIDO, Jan. 17.—While out driving here, Mrs. Frohburg was thrown from her carriage and had one rib broken and sustained several cuts about the head. The horse became frightened, and she was unable to control it.

WELCOME RAIN.

The rain of Tuesday gave this valley .62 of an inch of rain, and has done a large amount of good.

PROMISING MINE.

W. P. Bevington and Ed Granville have what appears to be a very promising gold mine a few miles northeast of here. Seven assays of the rock give an average value of $9.97. They are down sixty-seven feet, and working in a six-foot vein.

WOMAN BUYS RANCH.

Mrs. Robert Sandel has purchased the ten-acre tract known as the Stanley place, in the northeast part of the valley. It is highly improved, and is at present under lease to George Scott.

ONLY ONE CHANGE.

Stockholders of the First National Bank have elected their board of directors, the only change from last year's list being the dropping of Louis J. Wilde and the election of F. D. Hall, recently from Dallas, Tex., in his place.

ESCONDIDO PERSONALS.

Miss Grace Fulton, daughter of J. W. Fulton of San Marcos, was married Wednesday evening to John A. Borden.

A. E. Hull and wife of Chicago arrived Wednesday to spend the winter. They own one of the prettiest places in the valley.

J. C. Dickson has returned from Kingman, Ariz., where he went in the interests of the stockholders of the Enterprise mine.

Miss Ella Baldwin has resigned as organist of the Congregational Church and will remove to San Diego.

E. M. Von Seggern and bride of West Point, Neb., are visiting Mr. and Mrs. Carl Stammer.

Death removed Mrs. George Sargent Thursday. She leaves a widower and a young son.

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Startling Revelations.

The Great Fer-Don and the European Medical Experts Have Shown That the Claims Made by Them Upon Their Arrival Here Have Been Made Good in All Respects.

It seems almost startling, in many respects, when one considers how much good the Fer-Don remedies and the treatments of the European Medical Experts have performed here in Los Angeles and vicinity. Startling are many of the remarkable cures made by these remedies and treatments. It is being revealed to all who care to investigate that many who had given up all hope of ever coming back to health, through the treatments of other physicians and specialists, have been cured by the European Medical Experts. The names of those benefited and cured makes a longer list each day. The long list of testimonials gives evidence to the fact that these experts are really doing a great work in curing chronic diseases, deafness, rheumatism, and in removing tumors, cancers, gall stones and other abnormal growths without the use of a knife, by their painless, bloodless methods.

At the free show grounds of the Great Fer-Don at the corner of Seventh and Spring streets, last night, one man was telling of his relief from rheumatism. This man, who gave his name as Mr. Roberts of Pasadena, was telling how he had spent hundreds of dollars for treatments and doctors but without relief. Told how he had suffered all the tortures of sciatic rheumatism, how he had spent weeks in bed almost unable to move. Had been visited by specialists and others who gave him many different kinds of medicines and charged him many different fees. "But," continued Mr. Roberts, "the moment I began treating with the European Medical Experts I began to feel that at last I was going to be cured and that it was the treatment of the Experts that was going to do it. It has been now about a month and a half since I started treatment, and you can believe me when I say that I am now almost a stranger to to pain and feel like a new man."

At the offices of these European Medical Experts, at 745 South Main street, there are great crowds in waiting daily. These are coming to take advantage of the liberal offer which closes February 1st. Under the terms of this offer the doctors treat all chronic diseases for the cost of the medicine alone. This offer is made simply to bring their new methods and treatments to the notice of the greatest number of people possible and will not last after February 1st.

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BANK CLEARINGS. Bank clearings yesterday were $1,567,124.94. For the corresponding day of 1907, $2,049,901.79; for the same day of 1906, $1,721,396.29.

Monday	$1,892,418.56
Tuesday	1,549,243.26
Wednesday	1,627,564.15
Thursday	1,626,926.14
Friday	1,567,124.94
Total	$ 8,263,261.01
Same time, 1907	12,197,092.90
Same time, 1906	9,643,930.84

Following are the live quotations on general and mining securities listed on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange, ground floor, L. W. Hellman building, Fourth and Main streets, for yesterday's session of the exchange.

OIL STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Amalgamated Oil	....	$150.00
Associated Oil	$ 60.25	61.75
Central	.77	.82
Columbia	.39½	.43
Consolidated	.77	.82
Elk Consolidated Oil Co.	....	.32
Fullerton Consolidated	.39½	....
Fullerton Oil	.39½	....
Globe	.08½	.10
Mexican Petroleum	1.27½	....
New Pa. Petroleum Co.	....	1.75
Olinda Oil Co.	.11½	.11½
Reed Crude	.13½	.13½
Rice Ranch Oil Co.	.32	....
Union	300.00	302.00

BANK STOCKS.

	Bid.	Asked.
American National	....	$125.00
Bank of Los Angeles	....	118.00
Bank of So. California	....	130.00
Broadway Bank & Trust	$155.00	....
California Savings Bank (Capital, $100,000 paid up.)	....	130.00
Central National Bank	....	205.00
Citizens' National	....	245.00
Commercial National	....	150.00
Equitable Savings Bank	200.00	....
Farmers' & Mer. Nat'l	....	298.00
First National	....	415.00
German-American Savings	....	515.00
Home Savings Bk. of L. A.	....	185.00
Merchants' Trust Co.	....	90.00
National Bank of California	....	210.00
Security Savings Bank	....	300.00
The Southern Trust Co. ($1,000,000 paid up.)	63.00	71.00

*BONDS.

	Bid.	Asked.
Associated Oil Co.	75	80
Corona Power & W. Co.	....	93
Cucamonga Water Co.	....	87
Edison Elec. Co., 1st R.	....	90
Edison Elec. Co., old issue	....	100
Home Telephone Co.	75½	78
L. A. Stove Co.	....	97
L. A. Railway Co.	....	107
L. A. Traction Co.	....	107
L. A. Traction Co. 5s	....	106
L. A. Electric Co.	....	104
L. A. Railway Co.	....	106
Mission T. & T. Co.	....	98
Mt. Lowe Railway	....	97
Pacific Light & P. Co.	....	97
Pacific Electric Ry. Co.	....	104
Pasadena L. & P. Co.	....	90
Pomona & O. L. & P. Co.	....	94
Pomona Con. Water Co.	....	85
Riverside H. T. & T. Co.	....	95
Riverside L. & P. Co.	....	94
S. Monica H. T. & T. Co.	....	....
San Diego H. T. & T. Co.	....	....
Santa Barbara Elec. Ry.	....	94
Seaside Water Co.	100	....
Temescal Water Co.	....	94
Union Transportation Co.	81½	83
U. L. D. & T. & T. Co.	....	95
Visalia Water Co.	....	93
Whittier H. T. & T. Co.	....	94

*Prices include accrued interest.

INDUSTRIALS AND PUBLIC UTILITIES.

	Bid.	Asked.
Cal. Portland Cement Co.	$ 60.00	$ 70.00
California Hospital	....	96.00
Edison Electric pfd.	72.75	75.00
Edison Electric com.	....	69.00
Home Telephone pfd.	51.75	52.75%
Home Telephone, com.	19.75	21.00
L. A. Brewing Co.	....	130.00
L. A. Investment Co.	....	2.05
Occidental Life Ins. Co.	....	100.00
Pasadena H. T. & T. Co.	....	13.00
Riverside H. T. & T. Co.	....	95.00
San Diego H. T. & T. Co.	....	96.00
Seaside Water Co.	....	95.00
Title G. T. & Trust Co. pfd.	121.50	....
Title L. & Trust Co. pfd.	121.50	122.00
Title L. & Trust Co. com.	121.50	122.00
Title T. & Trust Co.	121.50	122.00
U. S. L. & T. & T. pfd.	....	99.00
Union Trust Co.	....	45.00

OFFICIAL SALES: 10 Home preferred at 61.00; 10 Occidental Life pfd. at 61.00; 2000 Reed Crude at 12½; 2000 do. at 12¾, B. 60; 10 Union Oil at 300.00.

MINING STOCKS.

California—Greenwater District—

	Bid.	Asked.
Clark Copper Co.	.07¼	.07¾
Furnace Creek Copper	.32	.34
Kempland Copper Co.	....	.30
California Hills M. Co.	.01	.01¼
Consolidated Mines Co.	.01¼	.01½
Nevada—Goldfield District—		
Goldfield Con. Mines	5.31	5.37½
Goldfield Florence	....	.07
Gold Storm King G. M. Co.	....	.05¾
Johnnie District—Nye county—		
Johnnie Con. G. M. Co.	.13	.13½
Mohawk Johnnie	....	.05
Searchlight District—		
Nevada Searchlight	.07¾	....
Search'ght M. & M. Co.	....	.91
Searchlight Parallel	....	1.09
Searchlight Western	.01¾	.02

OFFICIAL SALES: 5000 Johnnie Consolidated at 13.00; Searchlight Western at 1¾; 15,000 do. at 1¾@1¾, B. 60.

THE MARKETS.

LOCAL PRODUCE MARKET.

The supply of vegetables, for the first time in several weeks, was almost exhausted at noon yesterday. Fruits were also dealt in commendably. On the exchange there were some important sales, particularly of potatoes. Bidding was fair while offerings were many.

Continued firmness was the characteristic of the egg market, despite the fact that receipts were the largest in months. Arrivals totaled 223 cases, or more than half the number necessary to supply the daily city consumption. There were few offerings of case count, but they were all at the quotations on the board, and the five cases which changed hands went at actual candled figures. It is probable that prices will even higher than it would appear from the official table. Storage selects were offered in quantities, and a few Eastern fresh were put up at 27 cents, but there was no sale.

Butter movements were more extensive and arrivals above the average, totaling 17,744 pounds. There were no changes in quotations, but all grades ruled firm.

In addition to local creamery extras, offerings consisted of cooking butter, ladies and eastern extras. All the sales were made on the outside.

There was a good market for Swiss domestic cheese. Limburger is also in which some indications point toward an advance. Prices for full cream are lower. Cream brick is in good demand. There were no receipts reported.

As usual, potatoes were the center of heavy offerings, and bids were prompt, resulting in the sale of a car of early White Rose at a fair price. Other Rose sales were also successful as were Oregons and Lompoc Burbanks. The last named have had a good sale since arriving several days ago. Total receipts were the largest in months—7297 sacks—and this caused some weakness.

Onions are becoming scarcer and the demand heavier. Australian Browns are $2.25. are firm. Yesterday's arrivals were the largest of the week and totaled 216 sacks. Garlic is selling at 10 cents a pound, and ten sacks changed hands at that figure.

Ventura is still shipping beans here, and 281 sacks arrived yesterday, principally pinks and Lady Washingtons. Limas were featured in the bid and asked, best offers were no sales. Sweet potato receipts were 19 sacks. A few small off-grades were offered below the regular quotations, but none was accepted.

The demand for apples remains steady and 100 boxes of fancy Bellefleurs were sold on change. Ben Caps are having a particular run account of their splendid condition. Arkansas Reds are cleaning up rapidly and only one or two dealers have any for sale. A few fine peaches are offered at 11 a box, but, as the season is over, there is little call for them. Persimmons are still selling at 6 and 7 cents a pound, and some extra fancy stock is bringing more, by the basket.

Cauliflower is the only vegetable that the price declined to 20 cents a dozen heads. There have been some good arrivals of artichokes from the North and they are selling at 11 to 31.25 a dozen. Rhubarb is lower and sells at 75 cents a box.

There was a very active demand for fish and the market were well cleaned out early in the day. A few salmon are also shipped in regularly from the North. One of the retail markets is displaying a swordfish caught on the Mexican coast weighing more than 400 pounds. Its length is 21 feet.

Prices Current.

EGGS—Candled, California ranch, selected, 29@30; fresh ranch, local, in count, 28@30; eastern, fresh, candled, 26@28; storage, selected, 26@28.

BUTTER—Creamery, extras, 27½; creamery, firsts, 26@26½; seconds, 25@25½; dairy butter 23; cooking, 21; eastern, extra, 28.

OLEO—Extra fancy, 18@20; choice, 16@18; standard, 14@16; Butterine, 20@21½ in tubs, 1c more in 1-lb. rolls, ½c for 2-lb. rolls.

CHEESE—Cal. Anchor, 20; Cal. Y. A., 21; storage cheese, 18@19½; fresh, 17½@18; eastern daisies, 19½@20; Longhorns, 19½@19½; N. Y. twins, 18@19½; singles, 18@18½; hand, 20; Domestic Swiss, 23; imp., 32; Limburger, 20; cheddars, 17½@18; brick cream, 20; Dom. tub, 17½; Dom. block, 19.

BEANS—Pinks, No. 1, 3.75; Lady Washington, No. 1, 3.75; small white, No. 1, 3.75@3.85; Limas, No. 1, 5.25@5.75; American beatilla, 10@12 per lb.; black eye, 5.00@5.25.

DRIED FRUITS—Apples, evaporated, new stock, 11; blackberries, 50 1-lb. cartons, 18; Thos. Tilley, 50-lb., 10; peaches, 25. Currants, Zante, in bulk, reclaimed, 11; fancy, 50 1-lb. packages, 11½; fancy, 10 ¼-lb. packages, 10. Dates, imported, Hards, fancy, 6s, 5; Hards, fancy, 12s, 9; Golden, fancy, 6s, 5½; Golden, fancy, 30 1-lb. packages, 6. Figs, new, per box, 25 lbs., 1.50@2.50; California, 25 lb. box, 1.00; White, "Premiers," 10 lb., 1.00; White, "Medal," bricks, 50 @ 55; White, loose, 50-lb. bricks, 50 4-oz., 1.00; White, loose, 50-lb. boxes, fancy, —; White, imported, 4s, 16; White, imported, 12½, 18; Black, loose, 50-lb., 7; Black, loose, sacks, 5. Nectarines, per lb., 6@7; fancy, 8s, 14. Peaches, fancy, Muirs, 8s, 15½; choice, 8s, 11½; choice, sacks, 11; fancy, peeled, 25s, 25. Peaches, fancy, Muirs, 25s, Peels, lemon or orange, 30s, 20. Plums, fancy pitted, 25s, 12½. Prunes, fancy San Jose, per lb., 5@6; fancy, 4@5; four crowns, 7; five crowns, 6; 40-50, 6s, 7½; 50-60, 6s, 6½; 60-70, 6s, 5½; 70-80, 6s, 4½; 80-90, 6s, 4; 90-100, 25s, 5½. (When packed in 50-lb. boxes, 1c less; 5-lb. boxes, 2c extra; in 10-lb. boxes, 1½c extra.) Prunes, Silver, fancy, 25s, 11; apricots, 11@13.

RAISINS—Per box, layers, 2-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 2.00; clusters, 2-crown, 50-lb. boxes, 4.00; clusters, 3-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 2.25; clusters, 3-crown, 50-lb. boxes, 2.75; clusters, 4-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 2.50; clusters, 4-crown, 50-lb. boxes, 3.50; clusters, 5-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 3.00; clusters, 5-crown, 50-lb. boxes, 4.00; clusters, 6-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 3.50; clusters, 6-crown, 50-lb. boxes, 4.50. Loose Muscatels, per lb. 2-crown, 20-lb. boxes, 4½; 3-crown, 5c; 4-crown, 5½; fancy, 4-crown, 6c; choice, 4-crown, 5½; 3-crown, 5c; 2-crown, 4½. Seedless Sultanas, 50-lb. boxes, 7; Thompson's Bleached, fancy, 50-lb. boxes, 7; Thompson's Bleached, fancy, 25s, 12½; Thompson's Bleached, fancy, 10 1-lb., 14. Seedless, fancy, "Eagle," 25 1-lb., 11; fancy "Catalina," 10 1-lb., 11; fancy "Angelus," 25 ¼-lb., 9½.

NUTS—Raw almonds, fancy IXL, 20; almonds, fancy paper-shell, 19; almonds, choice softshell, 18; assorted nuts, 25-lb. boxes, 16; Brazils, large, new crop, 15; chestnuts, Italian, 8; filberts, large, new crop, 15; peanuts, Jumbo, 5; peanuts, eastern, "Sun," raw, 6½@6½; peanuts, eastern, Sun, roasted, 7½; peanuts, Cal. "Sunshine," raw, 8; peanuts, Cal. "Sunshine," roasted, 11; peanuts, Japs, fancy, raw, 8@8½; peanuts, Japs, fancy, roasted, 10; pignolias, 35; walnuts, No. 1, softshell, 17; walnuts, No. 2, softshell, 15; walnuts, black, 8; Hickory nuts, 12@15; chestnuts, 14@15; popcorn, 5c per lb.

HONEY — Comb honey, 1-lb. frames, 16@17; light amber, 15; water white, 16; extracted, light amber, 6½@7; water white, 8; white, 7.

CITRUS FRUITS—Navel oranges, Rivts, 2.50@3.00; Pounds, 2.00@2.50; Valencia oranges, 2.50@3.50; choice standard Valencias, 2.00@2.50; standards, 1.50@2.00; culls, 75@1.00; lemons, fancy pack, 3.00@3.50; choice lemons, 1.75@2.00; unpacked stock, 1.00@1.75; grapefruit, 3.00@3.50; limes, 2.75@3.25; seedling grapefruit, 1.75@2.50; Tangerines, 1.25@2.00.

FRESH FRUITS—Bellefleur apples, 2.00; Baldwin apples, 1.75@1.50; Spitzenbergs, 2.75@3.00; Lauver, 1.25; Colorado Jonathans, 3.50; Oregon Jonathans, 3.00; Greenings, 1.75@2.00; Pearmains, 1.25@1.50; Ben Davis, 1.00@1.25; Gilmore Reds, 1.35; Newtown pippins, 1.50; Arkansas Blacks, 2.50@3.00; Casabas, 2.00 per crate; Santa Claus melons, 2.75@4.25 per crate; grapes, per crate, Red Emperor, 1.50; Cornichon, 1.75@2.00; Malagas, 1@1½ per lb.; Winchester Pickle pears, 4 per lb.; persimmons, 2.00@2.50 per crate; pineapples, 4.00@5.00 per doz.

BERRIES — Strawberries, 40@5; raspberries, 15@20; blackberries, 18@20; guavas, —; cranberries, 10 per lb.; Wisconsin, 12.50@13.50.

ONIONS—Silverskin onions, 2.50; Yellow Danver onions, 2.00 per cwt.; Minnesota Red onions, 2.25@2.35 per cwt.; Australian Brown onions, 2.75@3.00 per cwt.; Australian Browns, 2.25; Globe onions, 2.50@2.75; Oregons, 2.75@3.00.

POTATOES—Ideal Burbank potatoes, 1.15@1.50 per sack; northern sweets, 2.75@3.00; sweet potatoes, 2.00 per cwt.; Highland Burbanks, 1.15@1.35; Salinas, 1.05@1.15; Colorados, 1.50 per sack; Early Rose, 1.20@1.75; White Rose, 1.00@1.25; Idaho, 1.35.

GREEN VEGETABLES—Beets, 25@30; carrots, 25@30; parsley, 15 per doz.; spearmint, 20@25 per doz.; turnips, 25@30; oyster plant, 20; peas, 2@4; radishes, 20@25 per doz.; rhubarb, 75@1.00 per box; sweet potatoes, 10 per lb.; lettuce, common, 20@25 per doz., 40@50 per crate; endive, 40 per doz.; escarole, 40 per doz.; chicory, 40 per doz.; garlic, 10 per lb.; mint, 20@25 per doz.; cucumbers, 1.75@2.50 per box; pie pumpkins, 1 per lb.; celery, 40@50 per doz.; cucumbers, 65@80 per box; peppers, 7½; cultivated mushrooms, 50 per lb.; wild mushrooms, 25@50 per lb.; Jerusalem artichokes, 75@1.00; watercress, 15@20 per doz. bunches; spinach, 25@ 50 per doz.; string beans, 8@10 per lb.; peas, 2@3 per lb.; Brussels sprouts, 8@7 per lb.; green corn, 1.00@1.25 per box; green chile peppers, 10 per lb.; okra, 10 per lb.; eggplant, 7@10 per lb.; bell peppers, 2@4 per lb.; Lima beans, 8@10 per lb.; celery root, 35 per doz.; rhubarb, 75@1.00 per box; Hubbard squash, 2@3 per lb.; artichokes, 1.00@1.25 per doz.; cauliflower, 20@50 per doz.; horseradish, 12½; per lb.; dill, 25 per lb.

POULTRY—Dealers sell live weights: Old roosters, 8@9; young roosters and broilers, 16@17; stags, 8; hens, 14@14½ per lb.; ducks, 14@15; geese, 15; turkeys, 15@16½; squab pigeons, 1.75@2.00 per doz.; fryers, 24 lbs. to 3¾ lbs. 13@23; broilers, 1¾ to 2 lbs. 19@20.

BEEF — Steers, No. 1, per lb., 5; second, 4½; third, 3¾@4; prime, 6; heifers, 4½; veal, 7½; cows, 3½@4; fore quarters, 7; loins of beef, No. 1, 13; ribs of beef, No. 1, 11; chucks, 6@6½; plates, 4; round and rumps, 8¾; beef tenderloins, 22; square beef cloths, 8¾; shoulder clods, 6¾; beef shanks, 3; flank rumps, 7½; flank steaks, 10; beef rolls, 10; boned beef, trimming, 5; beef tongues, 20; R. beef tongues, 10 oz. cans, 1.75; lambs' tongues, per doz. 30; beef hearts, each, 10; beef livers, each, 20; kidney suet, per lb., 6; sidneys, each, 5; sweetbreads, 25; brains, 10; hides, 5½.

MUTTON—Dressed muttons, ewes, per lb. 10½; dressed mutton, wether, 11; dressed mutton, yearlings, 11½; milk lambs, 12; sheep, 1.00@2.00.

PORK — Dressed hogs, per lb., head on, 10; dressed hogs, head off, 11; trimmed hogs, 12; pork loins, 14; fresh picnics, 9; pork shoulders, 10½; pork butts, 15½; fresh hams, 13; bellies, fresh, 14; leaf lard, fat, pork trimmings, 10; frozen pork spare ribs, 5; fresh pork spare ribs, 11; pork tenderloins, 25; back fat, 10; cleaned pigs' feet, each, 2½; tongues (pickled, sweet or fresh,) ..; cleaned hogs' heads, per lb., —; plain cooked tripe, per lb., 4½; hog plucks, each, 5; pork kidneys, per doz., 15; pig tails, per lb., 4; neck bones, per lb. 4½.

BACON—Winchester 10-lb. bacon, 19½; Winchester bacon, 19½; 12 A. bacon, 18½; 14 A. bacon, 16@17; Premium, 21½; Atlas bacon, 17½; Gold Band, 19½; Diamond C bacon, 22; Helmet bacon, 15½; Orange Blossom bacon, 14; Sunlight bacon, 6-8 avg., 21; Rex Breakfast bacon, 18½; Rex Breakfast bacon, 6-10 avg., 19; Rex bacon, 6-8 avg., 19½; Regal bacon, 18½; Helmet bacon, 6-10 avg., 17½; Helmet, 6-8 avg., 18½; White Label bacon, 8 to 10 lbs., 18½; Armour's Star Wide bacon, 4 to 6 lbs., 24; Armour's Wide bacon, 6-8 avg., 20; wide bacon, 8-10 avg., 19½; Armour's White Label bacon, 8-10 avg., 18½; special bacon, 16½; Western bacon, 10-12 lbs. avg., 17½.

DRY SALTED MEATS — Dry salt narrow bellies, 12; dry salt clear bellies, 10-12 avg., 12½; dry salt clear backs, 12½; short clear backs, 12½; D. S. bellies, 16-18 avg., 14½.

PICKLED GOODS—Honey-comb tripe, half-bbls., 3.50; honey-comb tripe, keg, 1.85; honey-comb tripe, kits, 1.35; spiced pigs' feet, half-bbls., 3.50; spiced pigs' feet, keg, 2.90; spiced pigs' feet, kits, 1.35; pickled lambs' tongues, kits, 2.00; pigs' tongues, spiced, kits, 2.00.

HAMS — Per lb., boz, 16½; Rex skinned hams, 16½; Diamond C skinned hams, 15½; boiled hams, 24; mild-cured hams, 14; plain hams, 14; Winchester, small, 19 to 12 avg., 15½; Winchester, large, 10 to 12 avg., 15½; Winchester picnics, 10; Winchester skinned hams, 15; Gold Band, 16; California hams, 10; Premium skinned hams, 14; Ave. hams, 12@12½; Atlas hams, 12½@14; Orange Blossom, 12; Ashland hams, 14; minced ham, 12; Cylinder boiled hams, 22; Premium boiled hams, 22; Oxford boiled hams, 22; Helmet Star hams, 10-12 avg., 16; Armour's Star hams, 14-16 avg., 15½; Star hams, 13-14 avg., 15; Helmet hams, 14½; Star skinned hams, 16½; Armour's boiled hams, 22; Premium boiled hams, 24; Armour's picnic hams, 10; Regal hams, 15; Atlas hams, 14; Armour's Shield hams, 10 to 14 lbs. avg., 14½; Armour's Shield hams, 14-16 avg., 15; Shield picnics, 10; Shield hams, 16-18 avg., 16½; Ashland hams, 8 avg., 14½; Jefferson hams, 20½;

BARRELED MEATS—Rumps (bone in, 5 lbs. and up), 10.00; half-bbls., 5.50; rumps (bone out,) bbls., 12.50; half-bbls., 6.75; plate beef, bbls., 8.00; half-bbls., 4.50; rolled plate (boneless) bbls., 12.00; half-bbls., 6.50; Sunderland pork, bbls., 14.25; half-bbls., 7.25; family pork, bbls., 25.00; half-bbls., 13.00; fancy pig pork (narrow,) bbls., 28.00; half-bbls., 15.00; fancy pig pork (wide,) bbls., 26.00; half-bbls., 13.50; spare ribs, 10.00 bbl.; half-bbls., 5.50.

PURE LARD—Tierces, 11½; cases, 5 10-lb. cans, 10¾; leaf lard, 11½; flex pure lard, 11½; Premium lard, 14; Silver Leaf lard, 13; Jewel Compound, 9; Compound lard, western, 11; back fat, 9½; Yellow Cotoseed, 14¼; White Cotoseed, 10¾; Mission lard, 10¾; Shield lard, 11½; Star lard, 13¾; Armour's Compound lard, western, 6¾; Compound lard, eastern, 9¾@10; Dromedary kettle rendered, 12; White Ribbon, 9¾@9¾; basis Suetene, 9@9½; vegetable lard, 10½; K. C. lard, 13¾; Armour's Shield lard, 11½; Armour's Simon Pure lard, 13; Armour's Vegetole, 10½.

SAUSAGE — Bologna, per lb., 8; bologna, parafined, per lb., 8½; blood sausage, 8; liver sausage, 7; Diamond C frankfurts, 12; frankfurts, bulk, 12; head cheese, 8½; fresh pork sausage, links, 16; fresh pork sausage, bulk, 10; spareribs, pork sausage, 10. Wiener sausage, 8; Frankfurt sausage, 9; New England ham sausage, 12; minced sausage, in sacks, 12; Douglas style sausage, in sacks, 11; German Salami, 20; Milan Mortadella, 20; Genoa salami, 20; Gothear, 26; Star Summer, 25@27; Aries, 28.

SALT—Western, handled through L. A. jobbers. Table salt, cartons, 45s, per case, 2.00; carriage salt, cartons, 25s, per case, 1.75; 50-lb. bales, Crown brand, all-sized packets, per bale, 2.90; Worthington Daily, 50s, per ton, 14.50; 100s, per ton, 14.50; 25s, per ton, 13.50; Crown or Cowboy, 50s, per ton, 15.00; Rock and half-ground, 50s, 14.00; 100s, 13.00; granulated and ¼-ground, 100s, 13.00; granulated and ¼-ground, large, per ton, 13.00; pure, cheap and evaporated, 100s, per ton, 14.00; 100s, per ton, 13.00; hide and ice-cream, 50s, 2 per ton, 13.50; lump, stock, imported, per ton, 11.50. Special prices by the lots.

SUGAR—Prices are based on sacks. Bbls. add 10c; ½-bbls., 25c, and boxes, 50c per 100 lbs. All prices net cash, less 2c cwt., 12 days. Beet sugars 4.65; western cane and fruit, 4.55; C. & H. cane and berry gran., 4.85; Cube, 5, crushed or fine crushed, 5.50; Candy granulated, 4.75; powdered, 4.90; C. & H. confectioners' A, 4.85; Golden C, 4.75; Golden Gate, 4.65; Western Con. A, 4.75; Golden C, 4.65; D. & G. Bowles 4x powdered, 4.90; Bowles 4x powdered, bbls., 4.75; Bowles 4x powdered, bbls., 4.85; Magnolia A, 4.90; extra D, 4.65; extra C, 4.55; Dominos, 25.65. Bar sugar, 4.60; Cal. Club, Longs or Shasta, 25-lb. tins, 4.80; 10-lb. boxes, 4.75.

FAMILY FLOUR—Local patents, A1 flour, per bbl., 5.20; Globe flour, 5.00; Select California white wheat, Banner flour, 5.00; Diamond C Towel flour, 4.80; Silver Star flour, 5.40; XXX flour, 4.80; Capitol flour, 5.00; A1 hard flour, 4.80; Aurora, 5.00; Mikado, 5.60; Trophy, 4.80; Crown flour, 4.55.

CALIFORNIA AND EASTERN FLOURS—Kansas, 4.85; New flour, 4.80; Mayflower, 4.80; Eclipse, 5.40.

FLOUR—	In bags.	5-lb. bags.	10-lb. bags.	25-lb. bags.
Perf. Pat. Pastry	....	$5.10	$5.10	....
Buckwheat flour	....	3.50	3.50	$3.40
Graham flour	....	3.00	2.90	2.80
Rye flour or meal	....	3.00	2.90	2.80
Cornmeal, W. or Y.	....	3.00	2.90	2.80
Oatmeal, ground	....	4.25	4.25	4.20
Oatmeal, Steel Cut	....	5.20	5.00	4.95
Hominy, large or small	....	4.20	4.00	3.95
Cracked wheat	....	3.80	3.60	3.50
Entire wheat flour	....	....	3.10	3.05
Pearl barley	....	....	5.50	5.40
Split peas, green	....	....	5.25	5.05
Split peas, yellow	....	....	5.70	5.50
Gluten flour	....	....	4.25	3.95
Farina	....	....	3.40	3.30
Nutrina Gem	....	$3.50	4.00	3.90
Rolled wheat, in barrels, not weight				3.75
10-lb. per sack	....	....	....	4.25
Buckwheat flour (bulk, seamless sacks,) 100 lbs.				3.90
Buckwheat flour (pure, seamless sacks,) 100 lbs.				3.75

GRAIN AND FEED—Wheat, per 100 lbs. 1.35, wheat, No. 1, 1.50; wheat, cracked, 2.00; corn, 1.80; corn, No. 1, 1.70; cracked corn, 1.80; feed wheat, 1.70@1.75; feed barley, 1.75; oilcake meal, 2.50; cotton seed meal, 1.35; cocoanut cake, 1.55; alfalfa meal, 1.60; oats, white Oregon, 2.00; oats, red California, 1.30@1.50; eastern Kaffir corn, 1.35; K. & M. corn, 1.90; cocoanut meal, 1.50.

	10.	25.	50.	100.
Excelsior Chick Food	$2.25	$5.20	$2.25	$3.00
" Fattening Food	3.25	3.20	3.25	3.00
" Egg Food	.75	....	....	1.25
" Moulting Food	....	....	....	1.25
" Chick Food 20 lb.	....	....	....	.75
lb. pkgs., per case	....	....	....	3.75

POPCORN—Rice, shelled, fancy, western, per lb., 5; new ear corn, 3.75@4.00 per 100 lbs.

LINSEED OIL—Boiled, in barrels, 61; in cases, 6c higher on each kind; raw, in barrels, 59.

TURPENTINE—In cases, 77½.

HAY—No. 1 barley hay, 14.00@18.00; No. 2, 13.00@14.00; No. 1 wheat hay, 15.00; No. 2, 14.00@15.00; No. 1 plain oat hay, 16.00@18.00; No. 2, 14.00@16.00; northern alfalfa, 15.00@17.00; local, 15.00@17.00.

Local Petroleum Prices.

Quotations on petroleum products, f. o. b. tank cars Los Angeles.

GASOLINE AND DISTILLATE—Red Crown gasoline, bulk, 18c per gallon; do. cases, 25c per gallon; No. 1 engine distillate, bulk, 8½c per gallon; No. 1 engine distillate, bulk, 8½c per gallon.

FUEL OIL—80@1.00 per barrel.

ILLUMINATING OILS—Water white, per gallon, (tank wagons, 9½c; in barrels, 11c; Pearl, in cases, 17½c per gallon; Astral, cases, 17½c; Eocene, cases, 30½c per gallon; Elaine, cases, 25½c; Star, 17½c per gallon; V. M. & P. naphtha, barrels, 16c; cases, 17c.

IF hard to please, you will like Satin skin cream and Satin skin powder, 25c.

ORANGES AND LEMONS.

DAILY CITRUS REPORTS OF EASTERN MARKETS.

[BY DIRECT WIRE TO THE TIMES.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Thirteen cars Navels, one car lemons and one car of Arizona Navels sold. The market is from 15 to 25 cents lower on Navels, but there is a very good demand at prevailing prices. Lemons are in very strong demand. Weather is clear and cold.

NAVELS.

	Average.
Golden Gate, xc, Redlands G. O. Assn.	$2.15
Bronco, xf, West American F. Co.	2.25
Herald, xc, West American F. Co.	2.25
Seal, sd, West American F. Co.	2.05
Golden Flower, xf, Redlands G. O. Assn.	2.25
Gold Buckle, xf, Red. High. Ft. Ex.	2.25
Stag, fy, A. C. G. Ex.	2.45
Pointer, ch, A. C. G. Ex.	2.30
Iris, xf, D. M. Fruit Ex.	2.40
Uncle Sam, xf, Riverside Fruit Ex.	2.25
Fiesta, xc, Riverside Ft. Ex.	2.25
Blue Seal, fy, Azusa Foothill C. A.	2.45
Red Shield, xc, A. C. G. Ex.	2.25
Mariposa, fy, C. C. C.	2.50
Orchard, (tl) xf, National Or. Co.	2.40
Orchard, (tl) sd, National Or. Co.	2.30
W. Highland, or, Highland Dist.	2.20
W. Highland, sd, Highland Dist.	2.05
Whittier, xf, Redlands Jct. Dist.	2.50
Whittier, xf, Redlands Jct. Dist.	2.30
Whittier, sd, Redlands Jct. Dist.	2.15
Flower, (tl) or, Upland Dist.	2.35
Flower, or, Upland Dist.	2.20
Flower, sd, Upland Dist.	2.10

ARIZONA NAVELS.

Desert brand, boxes averaged	$2.90
Desert brand, half boxes	2.15

LEMONS.

Planet, ch, S. S. F. Exchange	$2.65
Searchlight, sd, S. S. F. Exchange	2.25

St. Louis Market.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Weather cold; market weak; 4 cars sold; nine cars on track; Florida oranges sold $1.35 to $1.60.

NAVELS.

Orangevale	$1.90
Belt, sd, Redlands-High. F. Ex.	1.10
Lochinvar, xc, Red.-High. F. Ex.	1.15

LEMONS.

Mikado, fy, A. C. G. Ex., Azusa	$2.70
G. K., fy, A. C. G. Ex., Azusa	2.35

Philadelphia Market.

PHILADELPHIA, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Five cars navels, two cars lemons sold. Weather cold. Market easier on navels; stronger on lemons; 2000 boxes Floridas sold. Market is unchanged on Florida stock.

NAVELS.

Independent, or, Highland District	$2.25
Stock Label, or, Highland District	2.25
Banner, or, Pinkham McKevit	2.30
Sun Rur, xc, Red.-High. F. Ex.	2.35
Pointer, ch, A. C. G. Ex., Glendale	2.27

LEMONS.

Bridal Veil, or, Pinkham McKevit	$2.70
White Cross	2.35
Loma, fy, Limoneira Co.	2.30
Visalia, fy, T. C. C. F. Ex., L. C.	3.05
Lemon Cove, ch, T. C. C. F. Ex., Lemo.	2.60

Boston Market.

BOSTON, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Twelve cars sold. Weather favorable. Market doing better. Nine on track.

NAVELS.

Gold of Ophir, Haight, Bethel Co.	$1.95
P. Cone, xf, S. B. F. Ex., High.	2.35
Homer, or, Q. C. F. Ex., Corona	2.45
Laurel, fy, Q. C. F. Ex., Corona	2.35
Golden Flower, xf, Red. G. O. Assn.	2.45
Criterion, or, Penn Fruit Co.	2.40
Table Mtn., ch, Butte Co. Cit. Assn.	1.70
Jameson, ch, Q. C. F. Ex., Corona	2.35
Pico, sd, S. T. F. Ex., Whittier	2.10
Rose, xf, Red. G. O. Assn.	2.70
Golden Flower, xf, R. G. O. Assn.	2.70
Heap Good, fy, Pattee & Lett.	2.25

LEMONS.

Whittier, xc, S. T. F. Ex., Whittier	$2.90
Pico, sd, S. T. F. Ex., Whittier	2.70

NAVELENCIAS.

Homer, fy, Q. C. F. Ex., Corona	$2.30

Pittsburgh Market.

PITTSBURGH, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Market steady. Weather favorable.

NAVELS.

Hawk, S. A. F. Ex., Pomona	$2.15
Cougar, ch, S. A. F. Ex., Pomona	2.30
Fiesta, xc, Riv. F. Ex., Pacha.	2.05
Transcontinental, xc, S. A. F. Ex., Elsi.	2.05
Blue C, fy, S. A. F. Ex., Pomona	2.25
Cougar (tl,) sd, A. F. Ex.	2.30
Pond Lily, , Riv. F. Ex., Pacha	2.05
Goldfisch, ch, S. S. F. Ex., El Modena	1.90

Cincinnati Market.

CINCINNATI, Jan. 17.—[Exclusive Dispatch.] Weather cold. Market steady. Seven cars sold. Florida, Brights, 1.50-1.75. Russets, 1.30-1.35-1.85-1.95. Four cars California fruit on track.

NAVELS.

Whittier, xc, S. T. F. Ex., Whittier	$2.25
Pagrol, xc, S. A. F. Ex., Pomona	2.30

LEMONS.

Greyhound, ch, S. A. F. Ex., San Dimas	$2.50

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TEMPERATURES.*

	Max.	Min.	Mean.
New York	36	22	29
Boston	32	18	25
St. Paul	20	12	16
Kansas City	36	24	30
Chicago	30	18	24
Denver	36	20	28
New Orleans	62	34	48

...day before yesterday; ... The mean is the ... for the two days.

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...Redondo and Eagle, for Long ... ...Beach. ...

...SAILED. ...

...Eagle, for Long Beach, to return ... ...Redondo. ...

...Coos Bay, for San Pedro. ...

	High.	Low.
	6:41 a.m.	2:17 a.m.
	10:20 p.m.	2:49 p.m.
	9:23 a.m.	2:56 a.m.
	11:03 p.m.	4:14 p.m.
	9:41 a.m.	3:25 a.m.
	11:43 p.m.	4:35 p.m.
	10:21 a.m.	4:37 a.m.
	11:58 p.m.	5:00 p.m.
	10:46 a.m.	6:33 a.m.
		5:27 p.m.
	6:14 a.m.	5:34 a.m.
	11:39 p.m.	6:07 p.m.
	6:30 a.m.	6:29 a.m.
	12:12 p.m.	6:37 p.m.
	7:02 a.m.	7:05 a.m.
	12:38 p.m.	7:25 p.m.
	7:53 a.m.	8:00 a.m.
	1:30 p.m.	8:19 p.m.
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...8.50; ducks, old, 4.00@5.00; ... @7.00; geese, ... pigeons, young, 1.00@... ...Flour—Family extras, 3.60; ... 1750, 3.40@3.60; Oregon ... @4.20. ...Wheat—Shipping, 1.12@... 1.13. ...Barley—Feed, 1.02@1.05; ... 1.07½; chevalier, 1.20@1.40. ...Oats—Red, 1.70@2.00; ... black, 2.10@2.60. ...Millstuff—Middlings, 24.00@... ...ley, 25.00@26.00; ... rolled oats, 4.60@... @5.20. ...Wheat—Shipping, 1.12@1.15. ...Barley—Feed, 1.02@1.05; ... 1.07½; chevalier, 1.20@1.40. ...Oats—Red, 1.70@2.00; ... black, 2.10@2.60. ...Millstuff—Middlings, 24.00@... ...ley, 25.00@26.00; ... rolled oats, 4.60@... @5.20. ...Hay—Wheat, 12.00@17.00; ... @15.50; oat, wild, 8.00@... @16.00; alfalfa, 9.00@12.00. ...Receipts—Wheat, 32,000 ctls; ... 1740; potatoes, ... beans, 20; hides, ... sheep, ...

Calibeard Sale.

...SAN FRANCISCO, ... May, 1.04⅞; ... weak; May, 1.03⅞; ... changed; large ... ...sumption; ... What does ... ...ley quiet, weak; ...

Drafts and ...

...SAN FRANCISCO, ... 95%; Mexican ... drafts, telegraph, ...

...Capt. Erickson, ar... ...from Grays ... ...ber for the ... ...at the Southern ... ...Diego, where ... ...the Centralia ...

...will return to this port later, with remainder of cargo.

The steamer Jamie E. Higgins, Capt. Elliston, is scheduled to sail tomorrow for Port Bragg, via Redondo, to reload.

GENERAL EASTERN.

WHEAT PRICES TAKE UPTURN.

NET ADVANCE OF CENT IN MAY DELIVERY.

Change in Sentiment Is Due to Confirmation of Recent Reports of Damage by Hessian Fly to Winter-Sown Crop in Southwest—Corn Recovers from Early Break.

[BY THE ASSOCIATED PRESS—P.M.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—Wheat prices on the exchange advanced more than one cent today owing to confirmation of recent reports regarding damage by the Hessian fly to the winter-sown crop in the Southwest. At the close the May delivery showed a net gain of 7-8@1. The market opened weak on selling by pit traders, which was brought out by local cables and by continued liberal receipts in the Northwest. Before the end of the first half hour, however, the market began to show signs of recovery and steadily gained in strength the remainder of the day. The change in sentiment was due primarily to an advance in corn, but the bullishness manifested late in the session was chiefly the result of a statement issued by a St. Louis trade journal confirming previous reports of damage by Hessian flies to growing wheat in parts of Kansas. Claims of small reserves in farmers' hands in North Dakota inspired additional demand. Shorts were active buyers the last half of the day, the market closing strong. May opened 1-4@½ lower, at 1.03 1-4 to 1.03⅝, advanced to 1.04 7-8 and closed at 1.04 3-4. The early break in wheat caused some weakness in corn during the first few minutes of trading, but the market soon rallied and held strong the remainder of the day, and closed strong. May opened a shade lower at 59 5-8, sold at 60@60 1-8 and then advanced to 61 1-4. The close was at 61. Oats were neglected, trade being very quiet all day. May opened 1-4 lower at 34 1-4; sold up to 34 3-4 and closed at 34 5-8@34 3-4. Provisions were weak because of free sales by local packers. At the close May pork was off 10@12½, lard was a shade lower and ribs were 7½@10 lower.

Cash quotations were as follows: Flour was easy; No. 2 spring wheat, 1.10@1.11; No. 3, 96@1.11; No. 2 red, 1.03@1.04; No. 3 corn, 59@59½; No. 2 yellow, 62@63; No. 3 oats, 30½; No. 3 white, 30½@32½; No. 2 rye, 83; fair to choice malting barley, 96@1.05; No. 1 northwestern flaxseed, 1.12½; prime timothy seed, 4.80; clover, contract grades, 17.00; short ribs, sides (loose,) 6.42½@7.00; mess pork, per bbl., 12.87½@13.05; lard, per 100 lbs., 7.90; short clear sides (boxed,) 6.75@7.00; whisky, basis of high wines, 1.25.

Grain Movements.

Articles—	Receipts.	Shipments.
Flour, barrels	29,400	21,000
Wheat, bushels	29,400	28,000
Corn, "	467,200	262,100
Oats, "	285,000	192,300
Rye, "	6,000	12,300
Barley, "	92,800	85,400

Dairy Market.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—On the Produce Exchange today the butter market was firm; creameries, 26@32; dairy, 24@27. Eggs, firsts, 24; mark, cases included, 24@25; firsts, 25; prime firsts, 26; extras, 28; cheese, steady, 11½@13¼.

Grain and Provisions.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO FRED DORR.]

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—Following is the range of prices today:

Wheat—	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
May	103⅝@103⅝	104⅞	103⅛	*104⅝
July	91.7@93	93¼	91⅞	93¼
September	95	96	94⅝	95⅞
Corn—				
May	60⅝	61⅜	60¼	*61
July	59¼@59⅝	59⅝	59¼	59⅝
September	59⅛	59⅝	59	*59⅜
Oats—				
May (old)	34½	34⅝	34½	34⅝
May	47⅛	48	47⅛	*47⅞
July (new)	32⅜	32⅝	32⅛	*32⅝
Pork—				
January	12.82	12.82	12.82	12.82
May	13.42	13.47	13.32	13.40
Lard—				
January	....	....	....	7.77
May	8.05	8.07	7.90	8.02
Ribs—				
January	6.50	6.50	6.50	6.50
May	7.17	7.20	7.12	7.15

*Asked.

Boston Copper Market.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO FRED DORR.]

BOSTON, Jan. 17.—Coppers generally were higher today, the interests being centered in Greene Cananea, North Butte and Helvetia. Should the improvement in the monetary situation stimulate buying of copper (metal) it is not unlikely that production will be resumed in the Butte camp at an early date. There is a noticeable increase in public demand for good copper stocks. Insiders look for Amalgamated to move up to 75. The market closed as follows:

	Bid.	Asked.
Adventure	7¼	7½
Arcadian	5¼	5½
Allouez	31	32
Atlantic	12⅜	12½
Arizona Commercial	84	85
Bingham Con.	5¼	5⅜
Boston Con.	13½	13⅝
Bonanza	2⅝	2¾
Butte Coalition	19⅝	20
Calumet & Arizona	111⅜	112
Calumet & Hecla	670	675
Centennial	27½	28
Con. Mercur	34	35
Copper Range	63	64
Daly West	30	31
Elm River	1⅜	1⅝
Franklin	10½	10⅝
Greene-Cananea	6⅜	6⅝
Helvetia	28	29
Isle Royale	24½	24¾
Lasalle	16⅞	17
Massachusetts	4	4¼
Mexican Con.	7⅝	7¾
Michigan	13	13½
Mohawk	54	57
Nevada Con.	17	17¼
North Butte	25⅝	25⅞
Old Colony	50	60
Old Dominion	25½	26⅜
Osceola	89	90
Parrot	13⅝	14
Quincy	81	82
Rhode Island	4¼	4⅜
Shannon	7⅜	7½
Santa Fe	2⅜	2½
Tamarack	74	77
Trinity	17½	17¾
United Copper	7	7⅛
U. S. Smelting	55	55⅜
U. S. Smelting pfd.	79¼	80
Utah Con.	7	7⅛
Victoria	54⅜	55
Winona	5⅝	5⅞
Wyandotte	2⅜	2½
Wolverine	129	130

The close on the curb stocks follows:

	Bid.	Asked.
Ahmeek	60	62
Bingham Con.	⅛	⅜
Boston Consolidated	15¼	15⅝
Butte & London	⅜	½
Cumberland Ely	5	5¼
Dominion Copper	7	7⅛
East Butte	5⅜	5½
Foster Cobalt	65	69
Giroux	4	4¼
Greene G. & S.	35	40
Majestic	1⅝	1⅞
McKinley	7	7½
Nevada-Utah	5¾	6¼
Nipissing	8	8¼
Kew	5	5¼
Superior & Pittsburgh	13½	13¾

New York Cotton Market.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO FRED DORR.]

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Today's market was merely a repitition of the last two days with brokers for the bull pool buying and absorbing enough cotton to prevent any marked recession and bidding it up when offerings decreased. Liverpool spot sales were only 4000 bales. New England and Southern spinners are reported to have very small stocks, but they are not making an earnest effort to replenish them. The bulls figure on getting the future market up enough to stampede spinners into buying. The into-sight for the week is 254,822 bales against 443,173 bales last year, and for the season 7,395,000 bales, against 9,143,000 bales this time last year.

Bullish manipulation continues in spots, but it is more evident there is a great deal of selling under cover of it. Notwithstanding prospects for a favorable statement brokers look for considerably lower prices by end of week.

A Liverpool cable says "Notwithstanding a fair amount of liquidation and some selling for reaction, the market is fairly steady, but its action depends on your side."

Weather generally was fair today, with prediction of same condition tomorrow.

Following is the range of prices today:

	Open.	High.	Low.	Close.
January	11.47	11.57	11.46	11.47
March	11.09	11.22	11.07	11.08
May	11.07	11.19	11.07	11.08
July	11.46	11.56	11.34	11.47

Chicago Live Stock Market.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—Cattle—Receipts, about 4500; market, steady; beeves, 3.65@4.25; cows and heifers, 1.80@4.20; Texans, 3.20@4.00; calves, 5.50@7.25; westerners, 3.75@4.60; stockers and feeders, 2.50@4.25. Hogs—Receipts, about 4000; market 5@10c lower; light, 4.15@4.45; mixed, 4.30@4.45; heavy, 4.30@4.55; rough, 4.30@4.35; pigs, 3.60@4.20; bulk, 4.35@4.45. Sheep—Receipts, about 2000; market, steady; natives, 3.50@5.70; western, 3.50@5.70; yearlings, 5.00@6.00; lambs, 5.50@7.30; western, 5.50@7.30.

California Dried Fruits.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—The market for evaporated apples is steady, with fancy quoted at 10½@11½; choice, 9½@10; prime, 8@8½, and 1906 fruit at 7@10½. Prunes are more or less unsettled, with quotations ranging from 3 to 6 for California fruit, and from 7 to 7½ for Oregon 30s to 80s. Peaches are unchanged, with choice quoted at 11½@12½; extra choice, 12½@13½; fancy, 13@13½, and extra fancy, 14@14½. Apricots are quiet, but firm, with choice quoted at 21@22; extra choice, 23@25; fancy, 24@26. Raisins are barely steady, with loose muscatels quoted at 6½@7½; seeded raisins, 6½@7½, and London layers, 1.65@1.75.

London Copper Market.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO FRED DORR.]

LONDON, Jan. 17.—The copper market opened with a distinctly weak tone this morning. Spots were quoted at 66l 15s, a decline of 15s. Futures were held at 66l 5s, a drop of 7s 6d. Spots closed quiet and unchanged. Futures registered a decline of 3s 9d, closing at 65l 7s 6d. Total sales of spots were 200 tons; of futures 500 tons.

Chicago Closing Prices.

CHICAGO, Jan. 17.—Close: Wheat—May, 1.04⅛; July, 93½@93¾; September, 95⅞. Corn—May, 61; July, 59⅝; September, 59⅜. Oats—May, old, 34⅝@34⅝; May, 33⅜; July, old, 47⅛; July, 46; September, 32⅜. Rye—Cash, 85½. Barley—Cash, 82@1.05. Timothy—March, 4.85. Clover—March, 13.75.

New York Coffee Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—The market for coffee futures closed steady at an advance of 5@10 points. January, 5.85; February, 5.80@5.90; March, 5.90@6.00; May, 6.05@6.10; July, 6.30@6.35; September and December, 6.40@6.45. Spot steady; No. 7, Rio, 6 5-16; No. 4, Santos, 8; mild, firm; Cordova, 9½@13.

St. Louis Wool Market.

ST. LOUIS, Jan. 17.—Wool steady; medium grades combing and clothing, 21@23; light fine, 19@20; heavy fine, 15@16; tub washed, 28@33.

New York Sugar Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Sugar—Raw, nominal; fair refining, 3.42; centrifugal, 96 test, 3.92; molasses sugar, 3.17; refined steady; crushed, 5.60; powdered, 5.00; granulated, 4.90.

Cotton Futures.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Cotton futures closed barely steady; net unchanged to three points higher, on old crop months to a decline of eight points in October.

Liverpool Cotton Market.

[BY PRIVATE WIRE TO FRED DORR.]

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 17.—The cotton market opened 5½ to 6 points higher, but closed quiet and unchanged.

New York Dairy Market.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Butter and cheese, firm and unchanged. Eggs, steady, unchanged.

New York General Markets.

NEW YORK, Jan. 17.—Wheat—Spot firm; options ¼@½ higher; May, 1.12⅝; July, 1.06⅞. Hops, hides and wool steady. Petroleum firm.

Liverpool Wheat Market.

LIVERPOOL, Jan. 17.—Close: Wheat—March, 7s 9¼d; May, 7s 9½d; July, nominal.

Portland Wheat Market.

PORTLAND, Jan. 17.—Wheat, club, 85; blue stem, 87; valley, 85; red, 83.

Tacoma Wheat Market.

TACOMA, Jan. 17.—Wheat, unchanged. Bluestem, 85; club, 83; red, 81.

LOS ANGELES STOCK EXCHANGE.

UNION OIL IS MARKET LEADER.

NINE DOLLARS HIGHER THAN ON THURSDAY'S CLOSE.

Annual Report of Company Creates Big Demand for Security—Associated Oil Slumps, Despite Bullish Pressure—Sharp Advance in Home Preferred Stock.

Union Oil sold at $200 a share on the Los Angeles Stock Exchange floor yesterday, the course of the stock following the predictions made by local brokers last week that it would sell at that price within a few days. The exceptionally fine showing made by the company, as exploited in the annual report made public yesterday, was, of course, the direct cause for the jump of nine points in the stock's selling price. When the closing call was made there were a dozen bids for the stock at $200, with one offering $202, which was withdrawn after the call. In view of the excellent report of earnings, and conditions, the stock is now considered the very choicest of local securities, and prophesies are made that the security will ultimately sell above $250 a share.

A year ago a sale was made at $206 for ten shares, on the local exchange, and the close was at 205.00@206.00. The stock touched its highest selling price January 31, when ten shares were sold at $218.62½. On February 1 a decline set in in all oil securities listed, and Union followed with the remainder of the list, maintaining a more stable position than any other oil stock. Its lowest selling price last year was on December 28, when five shares changed hands at $188.50. A board lot sale at $191.75 was on January 4, and the stock closed at 170.00@172.50. The stock has made a rapid advance in the two weeks since that sale, showing a gain of $30 for each share.

The public evidently was rather shy of Associated Oil yesterday, as the stock refused to advance under the best efforts of the bulls on sixty shares changing hands at 21.50, with the close at 20.25@21.75, a decline of 2½ points on the selling price as compared with the high of Thursday, while the bid receded a drop of 3½.

Reed Crude Oil was handled at 12 1-4 cash and at 12 3-4 on a buyer thirty contract, only 2000 shares changing hands. The stock was quoted at 11 3-4@12¼, showing a fractional rise as compared with Thursday.

The remainder of the oil list shows considerable strength in several of the issues. Mexican Petroleum was up ½ a point at 1.27½ bid, with none offered. Fullerton Oil was bid for at 55, and Fullerton Consolidated was wanted at 50 1-8, unchanged from Thursday's closing. Continental closed at 17 with none offered. There was a better tone for Rice Ranch, also, with a bid at 92 and none on the market.

The market for Home Telephone preferred stock was very strong, sales being made to a total of eighty shares at 52.00. The stock was quoted at 51.75@52.37½, showing a fractional decline, as compared with the close of the previous day. Bidding was heard for California Portland Cement Company, but none sold and the stock closed at 60@75. Edison preferred remained unchanged on the bid at 72.75@75.00, the asking price having weakened one point.

There was much more interest in the bond call yesterday, more offerings being made of the standard issues, with sharp bidding for one or two of the leaders. None was sold however, aside from an advance of $2.50 per share in the bid for Southern Trust Company, no change was made in bank stock quotations. This security closed at $3.00@71.00.

Little trading was carried on during the mining call. Johnnie sold at 12 cash to the extent of 4000 shares, and closed at 13@13 1-4. Searchlight Western was handled at 1 5-8 cash, 10,000 shares changing hands at that price, while 15,000 shares additional sold at 1 5-8@1 7-8 on buyer sixty contracts. Others were quiet.

The Columbia Oil Producing Company declared its regular dividend of ½ cent per share, and an extra dividend of the same amount. The dividend is payable January 25. The books close January 20 and will be open again January 27. The stock will sell, "dividend off," January 25.

REAL ESTATE RECORD.

RECENT TRANSFERS.

J A Keeney to Anna Myers, lot 10, Seventy-fifth Street tract, $50.

D W Cowen to Emma Shureen, lot 5, block G, Workman Park tract, $10.

R F Thomas to C C Mishler, lots 2, 3 and 4, block 13, Alosta, $10.

M B Jones to W Wright, lot 25, West Adams and Western Avenue tract, $10.

Margaret E Diehl to Kate Smith, part section 26, T 3 S, R 12 W, $10.

David Walker to W Scharch, lot 61, Edendale tract, $10.

A W Wayer to Frances A Morehouse, lots 8, 20, 11 and 13, Wayer's subdivision, $10.

Emanuel Lewis Investment Company to E B Pierces, lots 4, 6, 7, 8, 9, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15, 16, 18 19, 20, 21, 31, 40, 41, 42, 48 and 39, Lewis Figueroa Street tract, $10.

N W Haas to Los Angeles Infirmary, part lot 6, block 3, New Depot tract, $10.

Los Angeles Infirmary to N M Haas, part lot 6, block 3, New Depot tract, $10.

Country Club Park to E Murmann, lot 4, block 5, Country Club Park, $10.

C M Andrews to B D Furlow, lots 1 to 12, Furlow tract, $10.

Same to F E Wheeler, lots 13, 14 and 15, same tract, $10.

D F Roseman to C S Morris, lot 23, Grider & Hamilton Sunny Side tract, No 2, $100.

A W Davis to J G Milligan, lot 5, block H, replat of part of Ocean Park Heights, $10.

W A Snedeker to H Griffith, lot 11, block 2, Monte Vista Villa tract, $10.

T J Henderson to O E Brown, lot 14, block 3, Golden Bay tract, $50.

O E Brown to T J Henderson, in Rancho San Francisquito, part beginning at point on south line of Azusa Dalton road at northeast corner of 5½-acre tract of land conveyed to John S Knoddy, by deed 1277-68, which point bears 30½ deg east, 15.57 chains distant from northwest corner of J R Harding 100-acre tract, thence south 9 deg 30 min, 618, etc, $50.

R M Davis to G H Miller and W M Stroud, lot 19, Alvarado Court in Pomona, $10.

Mrs Josiah Alkire to R M Davis, lot 46, Kenoak tract, $10.

S M Leightner to Helen I Parnelee, lot 7, block 39, La Mar's tract, $100.

Otho F Cox to A B Ebner, lot 22, block G, Wilshire Boulevard Heights, $10.

C L Bundy to D M Shanks and C A Marsh, lots 21 and 22, Waverly tract, $10.

S T Mock to Elizabeth L Burner, administratrix of estate of H Russell Burner, deceased, lot 3, block 30, Glendale Boulevard tract, $2500.

Rachel E Day to Eva B Collins, lot 76, block B, aMade & Dalton tract, $10.

J H Spencer to H F Breese, lot 42 and part lot 43, Harbert & Butterworth's Prince tract, $10.

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C T Munson to A B Clapp, lot 21, block B, West 16th st tract, $10.

A Wolf to Mary Mackenzie, lot 18, block B, Urmy Hstd tract, $10.

L Stevens to Dora L Steele, lot 25, block C, Yawters Ocean Park tract, $10.

Dora L Steele to L Stevens, lot 25, Orange Grove Place, $10.

Anne S Huhn to Rebecca L Lacy, und ½ int in part lot 4, Prescott-Smith tract, $10.

E C Roberts to Gee Nung, lots 104 103 and 106, Elcoat tract, $10.

Ralph Rogers Co to Mineral Park Land Co, same as deed No 154 10-10-1907 except that in Ralph Rogers sub of block V, Ocean Park Villa tract No 2 this instrument reads lots 2 to 17, block C, $10.

Carrie E Collins to Bettie I Taylor, part lot 10, T Nichols sub, $10.

Bettie I Taylor to Carrie E Collins, lots 11 12 and 13, block 7, replat of blocks 7 8 9 and 18, Pasadena Highland tract, $10.

Carrie E Collins to Carrie L Wayde, lots 9 10 and 11, block 1, Hill Crest tract, $10.

W L Le Sage to Florence Tracy Le Sage, lot 12, Myrtell sub of Messick tract, $5.

J Brown to J O Griffith, lot 8, block 4, W E Rogers sub of Highland tract, $10.

E A Forrester & Sons to H L Ziegemeyer, lot 20, block F, Forrester & Baldwins Addn Ave Heights tract, $10.

Hawthorne Imp Co to E J Maack, lots 7 and 8, block F, Hawthorne, $350.

A W Thompson and A Thompson to F H Authier, lot 125, La Mesa tract, $10.

T G & T Co to M Authier, lot 34, Pioneer Invest & Trust Co Euclid Terrace tract, $10.

Clara Swan to W H Swan, lot 145, J M Brocks sub of Philbin tract, $10.

J F Nadeau to Mrs Katherine Sens, lots 40 41 and 42, Woodland Park tract, $10.

Same to Emma Sens, lots 37 38 and 39, same tract, $10.

Adelbert T Hay to F E Thayer, lot 145, Hopper & Sons Western ave tract, $10.

L C Blasinger to Helen M Norton, lot 2, Miller & Hoisinger tract, $10.

T I & T Co to J H Scherer, lot 1, Bowen & Chamberlins Main st Boulevard tract, $10.

J O Coleman to Robert Mason, agreement to convey lot 15, Conners sub of Johannson tract, $2000.

Laura M Anderson to Maria K Thielmann, lot 19, block A, Nadeau Pioneer Hstd tract, $200.

J F Brackman to Ruth A Hanna, lot 84, Florence Villa tract, $10.

F R Strong and G W Dickinson to Julia A Pardee, lot 79, Chas S Manns Melrose ave tract, $10.

Same to Blanche P Lehman, lot 80, Chas S Manns Melrose ave tract, $10.

Louise E Clarke to A Hummel, lot 9, block 76, Azusa, $10.

Mary F Gephard to Frances B Gephard Meyer, lot 20, Severance tract, gift.

T G & T Co to Tabitha Cummings, lot 20, Cribb & Sinclairs Venice Annex, $10.

L A Securities Co to C P Gregg, lots 19 and 20, block 60, Redondo Villa tract, $90.

Emma J Crain to C P Gregg, lots 196 and 197, Crain tract in Ro Tajauta, $10.

Anna M Walling to H Wieman, part lots X and Z, block 126, Santa Monica, $10.

H H McNutt to A M Grant, lot 52, Wilsendanger tract, $10.

Emma C Reimers to Martha S Johnston, agreement to convey lot 12, Griffith, $450.

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SATURDAY, THE GREAT BARGAIN DAY OF THE WEE

3000 Prs. Hosiery

For Women, Children and Infants

The Biggest Values in The City at **25c**

The women's are gauze lisle, allover lace or lace boots; Maco in plain black or with white feet; silk lisle with split feet, also fleeced and cashmere hose; the children's are in fine or heavy ribbed lisle, wool or fleeced "Florenza" silk, in black, white, blue and red; the infants' are in fine French ribbed cotton of the superior quality, also cashmere in black, white, pink, blue and red; have double knees, soles, heels and toes; are absolutely fast colors; this is one of the largest as well as one of the best assortments of hosiery ever featured at this price.

Hamburger's
SAFEST PLACE TO TRADE

25c *Yard for Embroidery Regular Values to a Dollar* **25c**

Fine sheer swiss, indian linon and cambric, bands, demi-flounces and insertions; daintily embroidered in eyelet, shadow, irish point and embossed effects in floral and conventional designs; many exclusive patterns suitable for waists, lingerie or trimming.

75c for Women's Wool Underwear Worth $1.25

Australian wool vests with high neck and long sleeves; ankle pants with French bands to match; also medium weight; suits same style as above, button in front; all hand finished throughout; the wool garments are very soft finished and not shrunken.

29c for Women's Underwear Worth

Jersey ribbed fleeced vests with high neck and long sleeves; ankle pants with French bands to match; also union suits; style button in front.

$1.19 for Women's 24-Inch Silk Gloves Worth $1.75

Full elbow length in black and white; either Trico or Milanese silk; two clasps at wrist and three rows narrow embroidery stitching on back; double tipped fingers.

Orchestra Music This Afternoon from 2:30 to 5 o'Clock Come and Enjoy It

Demonstration and Sale Women's Wearables

Values That No Woman Who Reads This Ad Will Care to Miss. Saving Opportunities Found Only at the Big Busy Hamburger Store. Shop Early

SATURDAY

500 Dozen Amoskeag Aprons

Every One Made Under Our Own Personal Instruction of the Best Quality Amoskeag Checked Ginghams

Our first big sale of aprons last Saturday will be remembered by hundreds of Los Angeles women as a demonstration of the greatest "apron values" ever offered in the city; the illustrations shown here were sketched from garments in stock and show two only of the many styles which we have specially priced for our second big sale.

SALE BEGINS PROMPTLY AT 8 O'CLOCK SATURDAY MORNING

38c for Amoskeag Gingham Aprons Mother Hubbard Style Assorted Patterns

These aprons button in the back and cover the entire figure; nicely finished in every way and the price is for Saturday only; no 'phone orders.

65c for Amoskeag Gingham Sleeve Aprons—Same Style as Picture

Neat, pretty aprons of the best quality Amoskeag gingham, button in the back, cover the entire figure, and sleeves as shown in the illustration.

98c for Amoskeag Sleeve Aprons

Full length, long sleeves, button in the back; not skimpy in material, but broad, full and roomy and the best aprons ever shown in the city at the price.

59c for Amoskeag Gingham Aprons

Mother Hubbard style; finished with four-inch ruffle; button in the back, cover the entire figure.

19c for Amoskeag Aprons

An excellent quality Amoskeag gingham; short, plain styles; also black sateen aprons suitable for wear in stores and offices; round shapes finished with ruffles, also white lawn aprons with deep hems.

White Aprons 7c 20c is the Regular Price 8 to 10 Saturday

About 20 dozen pretty white lawn aprons; 24 inches in length and finished with three-inch hems.

$25 and $30 Silk or Wool Dresses

$15

Fifty dresses that are worth regularly $25 and $30 and are without any exception the best values in the city at this price; some of fine taffeta silk in fancy stripes or plain shades; also some dresses of henrietta in light or dark colors; complete range of sizes in the lot and are values that are only offered once in a long, long time; no phone orders will be accepted and none sent on approval.

$7.50 Coats: Gravenettes $3.98

Fifty-inch tailored styles—the price is nearly half; these coats are the regular 50-inch length cut full and tailored in the best possible manner; the yokes are lined, collars of velvet; an excellent quality woolen mixed materials and cravenetted cloth.

$5.00 and $6.00 Skirts $2.98 Choice of Plain or Fancy

The price named for Saturday on these garments is less than the actual of materials if you were to purchase it by the yard; all colors in the assortment; some plain materials, while others are of fancy cloth; latest popular styles, perfectly tailored and finished. Second Floor.

$5.00 and $6.50 Waists at $2.98

Extraordinary values; choice taffeta silk or messaline waists in black and colors, handsomely finished with lace insertion and medallions; short or long sleeve style; open front or back; also dainty lace and net waists in white and ecru; each one nicely trimmed to match and silk lined; just 200 of them.

$8.50 Trimmed Hats at $3.45

Extraordinary Values for Saturday Only

A large assortment of women's and misses' dress and street hats that are worth regularly $8.50; are of French felts stylishly trimmed with silk velvet and taffeta or pretty wings and quills.

25c Linen Collars 2 for 25c

All sizes in the popular laundered collars for women; fine quality material in the most wanted shapes; daintily embroidered.

$2 to $4 Scarfs and Stoles $1.50

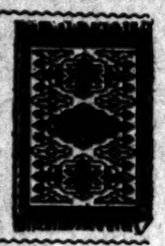
A choice assortment of very fine crepe de chine and messaline silk scarfs; veils; dainty printed effects and in all the popular street and pastel colorings; with stitched borders; are 2½ yards long.

$1.50 Silk and Wool Voiles at Yard 50c

An exceptionally dainty material that is very popular for evening and street gowns; light weight, soft clingy fabrics at just one-third the regular value; absolutely pure silk and wool; 42 inches wide and one of the finest imported dress fabrics.

$2.50 For Pair Wool Blankets Worth $3.50

Fine 11-4 size wool blankets; close woven, have long soft, fleecy nap and are finished with silk binding and fancy borders.



$10.95 For Brussels Tapestry Rugs Worth $15

9x11 feet in size, an extra quality and in the choicest colorings and designs; patterns suitable for any room and priced at a saving of almost one-third.

29c For Floor Oil Cloth Worth 35c

The choicest patterns in bright colors suitable for kitchen, pantry and bathrooms; one yard widths.

Today-Last Day Great Sale Pure Drugs

Rubber Goods—Soaps—Toilet and Manicuring Requisites

Hamburger's Household Ammonia, 16 oz. bottle, regularly 10c; sale price..... 8½c

Hamburger's Wood Alcohol, 4-ounce bottle, regular 10c; sale price..... 8½c

Hamburger's Bi-carbonate of Soda, 16 oz. package, regular $10c; sale price..... 8½c

Hamburger's Benzine for cleaning, 8 oz. bottle, regular 10c; sale price..... 8½c

Mission Malt Extract, pure malt and hops; regular 25c bottle; sale price..... 12½c

Hamburger's Epsom Salts, best quality, 16 oz. package; regular 10c; sale price..... 8½c

Hamburger's double distilled Witch Hazel, 16-ounce bottle; regular 25c; sale price..... 18c

Dr. Koch's White Pine Cough Remedy, 4-ounce bottle; regular 25c; sale price..... 19c

Hamburger's Turpentine, best quality, 4-oz. bottle; regular 10c; sale price..... 8½c

Hamburger's Spirits of Camphor, U. S. P. strength, 3-oz., regular 10c; sale price..... 8½c

Hamburger's Gum Camphor, best quality, 1-ounce cake, regular 15c; sale price..... 8½c

Hamburger's pure Glycerine, 3-oz. bottle, regular 10c; sale price..... 8½c

Hamburger's Glycerine and Rose Water; 3-oz. bottle, regular 10c; sale price..... 8½c

Hamburger's Glycerine, Rose Water and Benzoin, 3-oz. bottle, regular 10c; sale price..... 8½c

Hamburger's pure cold drawn Castor Oil; 3-oz. bottle, regular 10c; sale price..... 8½c

Hamburger's California Olive Oil, absolutely pure, 8-ounce bottle, regular 50c; sale price..... 33c

Hamburger's Machine Oil, best quality, 3-oz. bottle; regular 10c; sale price..... 8½c

Hamburger's Seidlitz Powders, 3 in box, regular 10c; sale price..... 8½c

Laxative Bromo Quinine Cold Tablets, regular 25c size; sale price..... 17c

Toilet Soaps

Six Regular 10c Cakes Soap for

Hamburger's excellent quality white soap, made of the highest grade materials obtainable, thoroughly milled and pressed into large cakes. Bay Rum, Cold Cream, Bouquet, Violet, Fleur de Orris, Turkish Bath, Buttermilk, Clover, Vi... and Floating Bath; regular 10c each; price 5 or 6 for 25c.

Hamburger's pure Castile Soap, 75c regular 25c; sale price.....

Golden Gate Glycerine soap, large cake, solutely pure; regular 10c; sale price.....

Toilet paper, 500 sheet rolls, regular 5c; sale price 5 for.....

Hamburger's pure absorbent cotton, pound roll, regular 35c; sale price.....

Hamburger's Family Fountain Syringe, quart, regular 50c; sale price.....

Hamburger's Family Hot Water Bottle, quart, regular 75c; sale price.....

15c Linen Handkerchiefs at 8c

An assortment of women's pure linen hand embroidered initial and hemstitched handkerchiefs; warranted grass bleached and are finely laundered.

$1 Yard For Bleached Table Linen Worth $1.25

Extra Special Offering For One Day—Saturday

25 pieces of very fine bleached table linen full two yards wide; snow drop, shamrock, lily, corn flower, fleur de lis and violet patterns; a genuine $1.25 damask at $1.

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HILL RISE.

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CHAPTER XIII—(Continued.)

He was worth thirty-five shillings a week. His energy was so abnormal that at first he was subject to fits of complete exhaustion, and thus it seemed that his working power was of a fitful or intermittent character. But soon it became apparent to his employer that whatever his capacity for work might be, the purpose behind it was strong and unwavering. His desire was to do good work; if he failed, it was never from voluntary slacking. He did not achieve anything at all in the way of ameliorating the relations between Mr. Crunden and the town. But in all other ways he became more and more useful to Mr. Crunden. So useful, in fact, that it was impossible to keep him, like a good watch-dog, "mostly in the yard," He was continually wanted at King's Cottage, where he gave really valuable assistance in the composition of letters replying to inquiries, etc.; he was of value also during interminable parleys with builders, house agents, etc., who were considering the purchase or lease of the ground plots; and he was, as Mr. Dowling often said, almost invaluable as a patient, good-tempered showman when visitors were going over the ground itself. After a time a place was allotted to him in the big working-room at the Cottage; the table and desk between the lobby door and the window were known as "Mr. Vincent's place." He was in his place for so many hours of the day that soon it became convenient to permit Mr. Vincent to take a share in the two family meals of dinner and tea. There had been awkwardness and embarrassment for all when, at the sight of Mrs. Price or Mary entering with dishes and plates, the perhaps hungry clerk was compelled to take his hat from the peg, and slink away from the appetizing odor of hot meats or the cheering fragrance of new-made tea. Mr. Vincent thankfully accepted the invitation to leave his hat on the wall and bring his chair to the table.

"But sir," he said to his host; "if you're kind enough to give me my grub, you must knock something substantial off my weekly screw. It wasn't in the bargain."

"No, sir," said Crunden, gruffly but cordially. "You're welcome. But I understand your pride—I mean, your natural pride. If you choose to take it as a small raise in salary—well, you may take it that you've earned the raise."

"You're paying too much as it is."

"No, sir. That's not the case. If you make me—well, I don't mind saying it; I judge by many signs that you've been a good bargain."

"Thank you, sir;" and the face of the clerk flushed with pleasure. These were the first words or praise or approval that he had received from his employer; they were words pleasant of sound.

In this manner, as most convenient to everybody, it came about that Mr. Vincent was admitted at meal time an honorary member of the family. He never said Sir at dinner or tea—or at supper, to which he came only by special invitation, generally when Mr. Dowling was also invited. At supper Mr. Vincent was a friend like Mr. Dowling—a friend of vastly superior rank, treated by old Crunden with ceremony and deference. But at all other times, and more especially when strangers were present, Mr. Vincent said Sir. At all other times, in fact, Mr. Vincent was just a paid clerk, doing his work, and no one need take any notice of him.

Lizzie at her place—which was the table by the bureau—need never give him a thought outside of the business that brought him here. Lizzie was gaining speed and proficiency with her new typewriting machine, and indeed in her labor maintained such a clak-clak, and clong-clong, that conversation would have been impossible. Thus strangely matters had at last adjusted themselves. Lizzie sometimes sat busily working, with all her heart in her work; while only a few yards off there sat, also busily working, the hero of her vanished dreams.

CHAPTER XIV.

"He shed his blood for your father, Miss Lizzie. You must never forget that."

At King's Cottage Mr. Vincent had one staunchly fervent admirer to whom he was still all a hero. This was Mrs. Price. Whenever Mr. Jack's conduct was called in question, she spoke of the fight. "He fought for you, sir—for to teach them not to make guys of their betters. I should remember that if I was you."

In regard to the great business enterprise all seemed going well at Mr. Crunden's house, yard, and estate. Another section of the new road with a branch to right and left had been laid down; on the outskirts of the land Mr. Crunden's two rows of cottages were nearing completion; three more rows were to be built by a builder from Reigate, with his own money; four villa plots out of the 206 mapped by Mr. Dowling had been disposed of on lease; pleasant little patches of red, marking these early successes, had been painted on the big show maps. There was plenty of work to occupy everybody's thoughts, and no necessity for Lizzie to begin thinking about her father's clerk; but people—first one then another—made her do so.

Now it was Mrs. Price, stopping the well-sustained clack-clack of the typewriter to proffer the request that Lizzie would take more interest in Mr. Jack, influence him to his ultimate advantage, and generally act the part of good angel.

Mrs. Price considered herself as one good angel, but you could not have too many good angels—when there were so many bad angels about. She was in fear lest Mr. Jack might be falling again under sinister influences, if not into evil ways. With admiration undimmed, watching him closely, she regretted to observe that he was not working so well, not looking so well "in his health," not going on "so brave and noble as he done at first." The master was annoyed with him the other day—found him in the station bar, when he ought to have been unloading a truck of Yank doors, window frames, and wall skirtings. The railway station was a dangerous place for Mr. Jack; there lurked such puffy, blown-out, bad angels as Mr. Lardner.

And further, Mrs. Gates, Jack's landlady, while charing for Mrs. Price, told of other perilous influences. Mrs. Gates related how "that Miss Barter" came up of an evening to call for the lodger, and take him out for a walk downtown. Mrs. Gates thought such visits unladylike, if not improper; and so did Mrs. Price.

"Who is Miss Barter?" said Lizzie very coldly.

"Her as has the dressmaking shop, under Mr. Dowling's. But she come out of the White Hart—and if I was the ladies, I wouldn't go near her or her shop. Don't you ever have nothing to do with her, miss."

"I certainly shall not," said Lizzie contemptuously.

"You know there used to be a talk about her and Mr. Jack—though Mr. Dowling speaks up for her and says that was just talk. But what I say is this: It's a cruel thing of her to go disturbing him after his day's work, and forcing him downtown—taking her to the theater and wasting his hard-earned shillings—and bringing him into worse danger."

"What danger?"

"Why," said Mrs. Price solemnly, "I mean his being led astray by all that wicked drinking lot that hangs about the theater. When a gentleman is so kind in his heart as Mr. Jack, he hasn't always the stren'th to say no—and then it's one glass on top of another until he has to be punished with the mad headache next day—and not fit for his work."

It seemed to Lizzie that scarcely any punishment could be too severe for gentlemen who went to the play with impudent and vulgar dressmakers. She expressed no sympathy.

"He had the headache the other morning," Mrs. Price continued, "and he arst me to give him a pick-me-up while he was doing his work at that table. But I said: 'No, Mr. Jack; no pick-me-up will I get you—unless it's a cup of tea.' He turned that off with a joke, and said the doctors had scared him about tea—and tea was jumpy stuff to take except at tea time. That was his joke," and Mrs. Price smiled, with affectionate tolerance. "He called me Pricy-picey and made a face at me and my tea—and then laugh. Of course, I had to laugh, too."

"Had you?" said Lizzie, without the least smile. "It doesn't strike me as very funny."

"No, Miss Lizzie," and Mrs. Price became impressively serious again. "God forbid I should see fun in drinking. But I didn't mean I was afraid of his ever taking it heavy—like to destroy him as we've seen happen in this house—to our sorrow. But it's easy for a gentleman to take more than's properly good for him—when he's drawn into bad company."

"If he drinks," said Lizzie coldly, "my father will discharge him."

"Yes, Miss Lizzie, but your father can't discharge Mr. Jack's shedding of his blood for him. . . . And I do say, miss, it'll be on all our conscience if we don't look after him, and keep him steady, now he's thrown over all them as ought to look after him, and put himself in our hands. . . . That's what I say, Miss Lizzie;" and Pricy said it quite defiantly, and then moved toward the kitchen door.

"I've no fear," she added, turning again, "while he's here along with us. But it's the evenings when he has no one to look after him—except it's that Miss Barter. Who's Miss Barter, I'd like to know?" asked Mrs. Price, in a sudden burst of indignation. "What's he got to do with her? Let her mind her pins and needles. She was never a friend of the family up at Hill House—or it's news to me if she was."

"Of course, she wasn't."

"No, and not a friend for him. Miss Lizzie, I've spoke not to frighten you, only laying it before you—to take more interest and use your influence. Why not give him some of your books for him to pass the time with? Or why not let him spend his evenings here, innocent and happy—talking to the master, or playing of a game at the cards? You know how he used to love the cards—and what a rare hand he was with them. . . . You aren't angry for my speaking? But I do say, we shouldn't neglect him. He's trying to do right, and it's for us to strengthen him as best we can."

Then Lizzie, alone in the big room, sat thinking of Jack. She had work to do, but Mrs. Price had put her off it. She was making manifold copies of the draft building agreement prepared by Mr. Eaton the solicitor. This contained conditions as to construction of houses—sixpence halfpenny per cubic foot, etc.—together with the terms of the ninety-nine years' lease that Mr. Crunden would grant, when the houses were built. Copies of the draft were sent to all who seemed disposed to treat for Mr. Crunden's eligible plots. Jack was always greedy for the typewritten copies—could not have too many of them, clamored for them, and undoubtedly squandered postage stamps by dispatching them broadcast.

But such extravagance, as showing his anxiety to serve her father, was to his credit. Thinking of him now, she considered all things that might be said in his favor or against him. He was helping her father—or endeavoring to help her father. That was a thing enormously creditable. But what else? Really, after careful consideration, what else might one say?

Alas, no hero worthy of enthronement in Mr. Mees's library novels. If you robbed him of all dream-like attributes, stripped him of splendor and mystery, tumbled him out of the clouds into common working life, there seemed to be left but a very ordinary and far from estimable personage. No difficulty in finding things to his discredit and disgrace—dreadful things; dark abysses into which one scarcely dared to peer. What, for instance, could be more utterly degrading than this companionship with a reddish-haired, tight-laced dressmaker flaunting in unsold finery from her shop? Who now could be gratified by his company? Mr. Dowling praised him for his friendly ways and freedom from class prejudices. That meant that it was good of him to drop to the Crunden level and seem happy and at ease when he joined them as a supper guest. But when, still dropping, he shot past the Crunden plane and you found him side by side with a Miss Barter in the cheap seats of the theater among all the riff-raff of found him, too, hanging there also, what must you

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Yes, Mrs. Price, opened plainly hinted at a fear the taste for vulgar company of fiery drink. But Lizzie refused to believe not have fallen so far as his place in her affections his place in her esteem those distant days he had brother Dick to be saved always seemed to be, Dick, a noble and Nothing should make him in this matter the pure virtue from him. It would ribile a debasement. drank so much more than for him. Dick was a boy. He began to ness. Every excuse unhappy Dick; some one in the prime of should lapse into such She would never believe Price's fear was well-

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